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CIVIL WAR.

THE RETAKING OF VANVRES.

Desperate Engagement at Issy.

Continuation of Bombardment.

Strength of the Communist Forces.

Weakness of the Insurgents—Retaking of Fort Vanvres—Desperate Engagement at Issy.

LONDON, May 21.—The *Standard*, of this evening, has a dispatch asserting that the Communist forces are only 12,000 strong, and that the Versailles army could go into Paris to-day if it would.

PARIS, May 12.—The Communists claim victories, and deny the reports of successes for the Versaillists.

Fort Vanvres was retaken by the Communists at the point of the bayonet. There was a desperate engagement around Issy, and the Communists claim to have recaptured the Park of Issy.

Bombardment of Paris.

VERSAILLES, May 12.—The Government batteries still maintain a terrific fire upon the ramparts of Paris and the fortifications still held by the insurgents.

The Versaillists are cutting trenches in front of the Maillot gate, and concentrating their troops in the Bois de Boulogne. There was a sharp fusilade about Fort Bicetre to-day.

Victor Schoelecher has been arrested.

Pestilence Apprehended in Paris—The Nationals Thinning Out Rapidly—An Attack in Strong Force Contemplated by the Nationals.

LONDON, May 12.—The *Times'* special dispatch from Paris says: Colonel Brunel has been appointed commandant at Fort Vanvres. A series of batteries has been prepared in the arrondissement of Partheon. A pestilence is now apprehended in Paris.

The *Daily News'* dispatch from Paris says: The national battalions are thinning out rapidly. The resignation of General Rossel causes discouragement among the Communists. M. Delescluze is unable to do much in consequence of ill health, but in a speech just delivered he expressed confidence in the future freedom of France and in the success of the Commune.

The *Telegraph's* dispatches from Versailles says: The Insurgents are unable to repair the damages done to their works by the Versaillist batteries, and will possibly attempt to defeat the latter by an attack in strong force.

The Mayor of the town of Issy has been arrested.

M. Floquet was arrested while on his way to Bordeaux and imprisoned.

An Insurgent Position Carried at the Point of the Bayonet.

VERSAILLES, May 12, Evening.—The Government troops to-day made an assault upon the Convent of Issy, and carried the position at the point of the bayonet, though it was stoutly defended by the insurgents. Many of the enemy were killed and three guns captured.

Proclamation of the Committee of Public Safety—Treason in the Communist Camp.

PARIS, May 12.—The Committee of Public Safety has issued a proclamation to the people, which says: "The Republic and the Commune have escaped a mortal peril. Treason had penetrated our ranks and bribes had been distributed. Rossel's surrender of Issy was the first step of the drama. The opening of the gates of Paris was to follow. A majority of the guilty parties have been arrested. A court martial is now sitting, and their punishment will be exemplary."

Numerous papers have been suppressed. The Commune has ordered that religious institutions cease, and that all crucifixes and madonnas be removed from the schools.

Delescluze reports to the Commune that the ramparts are sufficiently guarded to prevent surprise.

The *Siecle* says: A vast Bonapartist organization exists throughout France. The Commune emissaries are arranging the convocation of four municipal congresses at Bordeaux, Lyons, Nantes and Lille.

HARRISBURG.

Proceedings of the Legislature.

The Governor Sends in a Message Urging the Consideration of the Border County Claims—Democratic Opposition to Temperance Bills, &c., &c.

Special to the Pittsburgh Press.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 12, 1871.

SENATE.

Message From the Governor.

A message was received from the Governor, urging the dispassionate and serious consideration of the Border county claims. He says just and fair dealing demand that restitution be made to the citizens of Pennsylvania who lost by the rebel invasion, and that the Legislature should take decisive action in pressing this duty upon the General Government.

Democratic Opposition to Temperance Bills.

Mr. Rutan moved the discharge of the Committee on Vice and Immorality from the consideration of the bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Monongahela City, Washington county, and New Brighton, Beaver county, stating that the bill had been in the hands of the Committee more than five days, and unless this section was adopted, the bill could not go on the calendar this session.

Mr. Broadhead, Chairman of the Committee, opposed the resolution, saying that he had not time to get the committee together. The resolution was defeated by a strict party vote on a call of the yeas and nays, the Democrats voting no.

A similar resolution offered by Senator Evans several weeks ago, for the House bill prohibiting licenses in Chester county, was defeated by the same vote. The local option bill is not yet reported.

The Appropriation Bill

Was resumed. The salary of the Superintendent of Soldiers' Orphans was stricken out, and the duties of that officer transferred to the Superintendent of Common Schools, with $1,250 extra for additional duties.

Mr. Anderson moved to insert three thousand dollars for the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Home for the Friendless. Adopted.

Mr. Duncan introduced a new section, relieving citizens of Chambersburg and vicinity by giving them certificates of loan, bearing five per cent., to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, to be appropriated by the State Treasurer to the claimants *pro rata*, redeemable in five years or sooner, free from taxation; the recipients to give the State receipts in full in discharge, the Governor then to make a demand upon the General Government. This section was passed, with an amendment by Mr. Osterhout, that nothing herein shall be construed to make the State in any way liable for such claims.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A Message from the Governor,

Similar to the one read in the Senate was received.

Andy Johnson's Hotel Bill.

A bill was reported as originating in the Committee of Ways and Means, authorizing the Council of Harrisburg to appropriate sufficient to pay the bill contracted by the extension of the hospitalities of the city to President Johnson and General Grant in 1866, at the Bolton Hotel.

Afternoon Session.

A bill prohibiting the sale of Academy degrees was passed.

A bill incorporating the Pittsburgh Synod of the Reformed Church was passed.

Mr. Kerr introduced a bill incorporating the State Bank of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Taylor introduced a bill relating to apothecaries and druggists in Allegheny county.

A bill from the Senate prohibiting the sale of liquor in McKeesport, Elizabeth and West Elizabeth boroughs, and Mifflin, Jefferson, Versailles, Elizabeth and Lincoln townships, Allegheny county, was passed finally, with an amendment by Mr. White, protecting existing licenses till they expire.

A bill from the Senate authorizing the grading, construction and making of West End avenue, Allegheny county, passed finally and goes to the Governor.

HARRISBURG, PA., May 12, 1871.

Evening Session.

The following House bills were passed: Changing the boundary line of the first precinct of Shaler township, Allegheny county; relative to appeals from judgments of magistrates in Allegheny county; incorporating the St. Clair Inclined Plane Company; incorporating the Five Cent Savings Bank of Pittsburgh; incorporating the Temperanceville and West Pittsburgh Savings Bank; also, Senate bill incorporating the Allegheny Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Adjourned till Monday afternoon. The House meets to-morrow.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis of Observations by the United States Signal Corps for the Past Twenty-Four Hours—Probabilities.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12, 1871.

Synopsis for the past twenty-four hours: The pressure and barometer remain stationary, with clear weather on the Pacific coast. The barometer is falling in Western Nebraska, and is rising on Lake Superior. The weather has remained generally partially cloudy and hazy, with diminishing pressure and increasing temperature from Missouri to Pennsylvania, and north and eastward. Clear weather has prevailed west of the Mississippi; cloudy weather from Kentucky south and eastward. The lowest barometer is now in Georgia. Very heavy rains fell during last night at Key West, Florida, and Georgia to North Carolina. Light rains have extended during the day to Maryland.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that by Saturday morning the storm prevailing in the Southern States will have moved northeastward, with light rains on the middle Atlantic coast. No serious disturbances is apprehended in that region. Fresh winds and cloudy weather will probably prevail during the day on the Lakes.

NEWS SUMMARY

BY TELEGRAPH.

Frederick Buth, a married man, fifty-two years old, hung himself to his bed-post in St. Louis Thursday night.

Thomas Hines, wife and child were drowned near Dubuque, Iowa, on Wednesday.

The referee in the Mace-Coburn prize fight has decided that the fight shall come off three weeks from yesterday at Kansas City, Mo.

The great California excursion will leave Indianapolis July 12th, on trains of Pullman palace cars, going through without change.

Burch's sash factory, the Parkersburg flour mills, and a number of tenement houses in Parkersburg, W. Va., were destroyed by fire yesterday. A large number of poor families were rendered houseless, and lost all their furniture. Total loss about $20,000, with little insurance.

Hoppeke's trunk manufactory on Main street, Memphis, was damaged yesterday by fire to the extent of $5,000; insured.

Horace Greeley writes Peter Tracy expressing a willingness to deliver one lecture in Memphis on his return from Texas, about the 1st of June.

A New Amsterdam telegram of the 5th says: The journals of this colony of British Guinea denounce the tyrannical treatment of Coolies by the school masters. The former, it seems, are much afraid of the latter. They dare not complain, and submit to the treatment.

Pike's Music Hall, Cincinnati, being changed into a theater, will be completed in June, and will be opened with a season of Opera Bouffe, by Fisk's full company of French artistes. The time has been fixed for June 9.

The assessment of internal revenue for income tax in the First Ohio collection district, composed of Hamilton county, amounts to $150,171. Last year the assessment was $571,344.

THE TREATY.

Consideration in Committee.

A Report to be Made by Monday—The Committee Divided—Premature Publication of the Document to be Investigated.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, May 12, 1871.

The Committee on Foreign Relations held another long session to-day. The plan adopted is for the Chairman to read article by article, and then to accept suggestions as to the manner in which each shall be treated in the report. It appears that the Committee is about equally divided on the expediency of making a favorable report upon all articles in the treaty. Cameron, Morton, Harlan and Hamlin are in favor of indorsing the treaty in every particular, both as regards language and provisions, but Schurz, Patterson and Casserly are prepared to offer several amendments to the same. These having been voted down on several occasions, it has now been determined to allow the majority of the Committee to make such a report as may seem to them best, while the minority will reserve both their suggestions and amendments until the treaty is finally submitted to the Senate. At one time Hamlin was of opinion that the fishing question was not settled either to suit himself or constituents, but his action in committee would seem to indicate that he is now prepared to indorse the agreement of the Commissioners. The report will be forthcoming by Monday, and will recommend to the favorable consideration of the Senate the entire treaty.

The Leak to be Investigated.

The Senate to-day was merely occupied in executive session in discussing a resolution to investigate the premature publication of the treaty. It was finally decided to do this, and a committee of five was appointed. A good many Senators think it a queer thing to do, after the State Department had prepared a synopsis and furnished it to the press, and had afterwards given out a second statement, containing the remaining points.

Reference to the Senate rule shows that only a majority of a quorum is necessary to adopt an amendment to a treaty, and a two-thirds vote is only necessary for final ratification.

Pending the report of the Committee on Foreign Relations, article 30 of the treaty seems to occasion much discussion among Senators whose constituents are particularly interested therein. No one seems to know what it means, or what practical operation it will have, should it be carried into effect in its present shape. Thus, it is said that the right of American citizens to the free navigation of Canadian canals depends on the consent of the Canadian Government, and the only security taken for the preservation of this privilege is the right reserved by our Government to refuse British subjects. The privilege of transporting merchandise from Lewiston to Hamilton, thence by land carriage to Windsor, and thence again by vessel to Detroit or Chicago. It seems to be the opinion that such security is not worth the paper on which it is printed, as no British subject would ever think of transporting merchandise from American ports on the lakes to another, where the goods had to be carried part of the way by land through Canada. The sections relating to the Alabama claims also continue to be a fertile source of objection. Estimating the length of the session by the dissatisfaction which is so generally expressed at various features of the treaty, it is now thought by good authorities that the session will last at least until June first.

EUROPE.

BY THE ATLANTIC CABLE

Death of Sir John Frederick William Herschell—Meeting of the Cortes—Ravages of Yellow Fever in Buenos Ayres—Emperor William Ill, &c., &c.

Death of a Celebrated Astronomer.

LONDON, May 12.—Sir John Frederick William Herschel, only son of the great astronomer, and himself an astronomer of world-wide repute, died this morning at the age of seventy-three.

Meeting of the Cortes.

MADRID, May 11.—The Constitutional Congress will meet to-morrow, and Morat will on Monday submit a statement embodying a complete financial scheme, which provides for a great saving in the expenditures of the various departments of the government.

Ravages of the Yellow Fever in Buenos Ayres.

BUENOS AYRES, *via* LONDON, May 12.—Business is entirely suspended, and the city to a great extent is deserted. The Custom House and all the banks are closed. The ravages of the yellow fever continue, and will apparently only cease for want of victims.

Proceedings of Parliament.

LONDON, May 12.—In the House of Lords to-day Lord Redesdale asked whether the United States could legally raise the question of remuneration for vessels and property destroyed by the Alabama. He argued that the Southern States alone were responsible for the depredations of the Alabama and kindred ships, and that the Government of Great Britain could not have legally detained the Alabama, for she was not armed when she left British waters. Earl Lauderdale concurred in this view. Granville said he was glad the question had been raised, as it gave him an opportunity of stating that the adjustment made at Washington had not turned upon the point supposed by Redesdale, and that the Crown advisers had not even suggested it. He promised that before the treaty was ratified there would be ample opportunity for a full consideration of its provisions, but in the meantime expressed regret at the occurrence of desultory discussions.

Granville, in continuation, admitted that it was the duty of the Government to give every attention to the subject presented by Redesdal. He concluded by stating that the treaty itself would be in the hands of the Government by the end of next week, and that it would be promptly laid before Parliament for consideration.

In the House of Commons Mr. Gladstone announced that the Whitsuntide recess would be from May 26th to June 1st. The Marquis of Hartington advocated the bill providing for the protection of life and property in Ireland by authorizing local suspensions of the writ of *habeas corpus*.

The consideration of the Irish question was continued until recess. At the evening session Mr. Macfie, member for Leith, moved for the appointment of a select committee to investigate the relations of the colonies both to the mother country and to each other, and to ascertain in what manner they can be strengthened and bound in closer ties of friendship and loyalty to the empire.

The German Parliament.

BERLIN, May 12.—In the German Parliament to-day, Bismarck gave the particulars of his recent visit to Frankfort to confer with Favre and Pouier Quertier. He says if the object sought had not been accomplished, the Germans would have taken possession of Paris and demanded the withdrawal of the Versailles forces behind the Loire. The treaty which was concluded hastens the payment of the indemnity to Germany. Half a milliard of it is to be paid by France in thirty days after the entry of the Versailles army into Paris, and a milliard more before December of the present year. Then only will the Germans evacuate the Paris forts. As to the abrogation of the former treaty Bismarck stated that the withdrawal of France from the maintenance of that instrument was for the purpose and in the hope of the receipt of increased custom duties, with which to liquidate her indebtedness. The ratifications of the treaty are to be exchanged on the 20th inst.

Banquet.

VIENNA, May 12.—The American Minister, Mr. Jay, gave a banquet to-day in honor of Mr. Childers, until recently first Lord of the British Admiralty.

Illness of Emperor William.

BERLIN, May 12.—Emperor William is slightly indisposed.

Marine News.

LONDON, May 12.—The steamship Virginia, from New York, touched at Queenstown, and the Europa at Moville.

The Markets.

LONDON, May 12—Consols 93⅜ for money and 93⅜@93½ for account. Bonds firm; 5-20s of '62, 90½; do '65, 90⅝; do '67, 92½; 10-40s 89½.

ANTWERP, May 12.—Petroleum 48½ francs.

LIVERPOOL, May 12.—Cotton—middling upland 7⅞d.

Wheat unchanged. Flour 27s. Corn—No. 2 mixed 61s 6d.

Pork 65s. Beef 107s 6d. Cheese 67s.

SLAUGHTERED.

Collision on the Erie Railroad—Five Persons Killed and Fifteen Injured.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 12.—There was a collision on the Erie Railroad, between Attica and Alden this morning, in which six persons were killed and thirty or more injured. An emigrant train bound west broke, when the train was brought to a stop. A freight train following ran into the rear of the emigrant train. No further particulars received.

SECOND DISPATCH.

BUFFALO, May 12.—At six o'clock this morning a freight train with an emigrant car and caboose, on the New York and Erie Railroad, bound west, was run into by an extra freight train this side of Attica. Five children were killed, and fourteen or fifteen adults wounded. The killed and wounded have been brought to this city, and the wounded are being cared for at the Sisters of Charity's hospital. No names of the sufferers are known yet.

Barn Burned in East Palestine, O.

Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Commercial.

EAST PALESTINE, O., May 12, 1871.

The barn of W. M. Saint, Esq., in this village, was burned about ten o'clock last night, together with a horse and buggy owned by Mr. Martin Koch, and a lot of grain, flour, bacon, &c., owned by Messrs. Young & Co. A part of the barn was used by the latter firm as a wareroom. The origin of the fire is unknown. Loss about $1,500; insured for $600. J.

STATE POLITICS.

George K. Anderson, Esq., has been chosen as Senatorial delegate from Erie and Crawford counties to the Republican State Convention.

The Republican primary elections in Lawrence county will be held on the 26th of August, and the Convention two days later.

The Altoona *Sun* thinks W. W. Wallace or B. F. Meyers should be made chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee.

Steinway Sales—Bulletin No. 17.

The following sales of the peerless "Steinway's" were made since last bulletin:

B. F. Floyd, Esq., a Steinway square piano; J. D. Scully, Esq., a Steinway grand; Seminary of Ursuline Sisters, Hancock street, a Steinway square; Josiah Hartzell, Canton, Ohio, a Steinway square; Dr. W. S. Matthews, Youngstown, Ohio, a Steinway square; S. H. Miller, Esq., Mercer, a Steinway square; Miss Jennie Cook, a Steinway square, etc., etc.

All classes of the community prefer and buy the Steinway pianos:—The musical class because they make the finest music; the rich and fashionable portion because they are the style in vogue with all persons of wealth and refinement, and the economical and non-mammon favored because they are by all odds the *cheapest* pianos in the long run.

Steinway's Pittsburgh headquarters is at 122 Wood street, where the sole agents, Messrs. H. Kleber & Bro., do the musical honors with great acceptableness. †

A telegram from Erie, Pa., yesterday, says: Coburn's conduct in the ring yesterday is stigmatized by his friends as even cowardly. Mace says he wanted to fight, but dared not go into Coburn's corner and risk a fall, because the Coburn men on the inner ring were prepared to disable him by throwing pepper and turpentine in his eyes. Several pickpockets who accompanied the bruisers were hauled here this morning. A bill prohibiting prize fight expeditions leaving this State has been introduced at Harrisburg and will doubtless become a law. Coburn and Mace both went East to-day.

STRAW GOODS, straw goods, at R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

SECOND EDITION.

WASHINGTON.

Important Internal Revenue Decision.

Commissioner Pleasanton's Ruling in Regard to Tax on Dividends Declared in 1870 Reversed—The Tax Must be Paid, &c., &c.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12, 1871.

Another of Pleasanton's Rulings Upset.

Last January Commissioner Pleasanton ruled that sections 15 and 16 of the act of July 14th, 1870, reducing internal taxes and for other purposes, did not authorize the levying and collecting of the dividend tax on dividends declared in the last five months of 1870. He revoked all previous rulings, and directed that where assessments had been made but not passed to the Collector, they should be stricken from the lists, and that in cases where they were in the hands of the Collectors, he should, in pressing claims for refunding or rebatement, according as the tax had or had not been paid. The second National Bank of Elmira, under this ruling, presented a claim for tax erroneously paid. It came before the Treasury Department and was opposed by Secretary Boutwell. The subject was returned to the Attorney General, and he decides that the law will not bear Commissioner Pleasanton's construction, and that taxes must be collected for the period exempted by the ruling of the International Revenue Bureau.

WASHINGTON, May 12, 1871.

POSTAL MATTERS.

The Appointment Office is now preparing circular letters to Postmasters (nearly thirty thousand in number), requiring each of them to keep an account of the total amount of stamps cancelled for the six months beginning July 1, 1871, and ending December 21, 1871; also, the amount collected on unpaid letters, on newspapers and other printed matter, and for box rents, during the same period. On the first day of January, 1872, each Postmaster will make out and forward to the Department a sworn statement of the amounts arising from each of the above-mentioned sources. Blank forms will be sent, prompt attention be required, and each Postmaster held to account for neglect thereof. The object of the Postmaster General is to review and readjust the salary of each Postmaster from and after the first day of July, 1872, upon a proper basis.

West Virginia Postmasters Appointed—At Salt Lake Bridge, Braxton county, West Virginia, Charles F. Singleton is appointed Postmaster, vice John Bath, resigned. At Fair Hill, Marshall county, Geo. M. Ewing is appointed Postmaster, vice Robert L. Dague, resigned.

CONFIRMATION.

The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Maxwell Woodhull, of the District of Columbia, as Assistant Secretary of Legation at London, in place of William Cheselrough, declined.

VIOLATION OF PRIVILEGES.

The Senate adjourned until Monday next at eleven o'clock. The committee to investigate the premature publication of the treaty, consists of Messrs. Carpenter, Conkling, Trumbull, Davis of Kentucky, and Sumner. Much indignation is expressed by some Senators at what they consider a violation of the privileges of the Senate. The officers of the Senate this morning distributed among hitherto unsupplied members of that body officially printed copies of the treaty.

PENN AVENUE.

Laying the Miller Pavement—The Saw Mills, etc.

In company with the City Engineer, Mr. Moore, we yesterday visited the saw mills of the Miller Paving Company, in the Seventeenth ward, and were shown through the works by the managing partner, Gen. Barton. The mills occupy an eligible lot between the Allegheny Valley Railroad and the river, and lumber is received both by river and rail. We found the mills in active operation, with a capacity for sawing eighty thousand feet of lumber per day into blocks. The lumber is received in sticks twelve, fourteen and sixteen feet long, seven inches thick, and of various widths. These sticks are drawn directly from the river, by steam, and sawed into blocks ready for laying in the pavement. Seven million feet of lumber will be required to complete the contract on Penn avenue, so that the mills are of no mean capacity. General Barton informs us that the company has already expended some $30,000 in getting up the machinery, purchasing wagons, horses, harness and other appliances necessary for the work. Thirty horses are required in hauling blocks, etc., from the mills to the avenue, and a large number of hands are employed in various capacities. Nearly all the money thus far expended by the Company, has been spent among our Pittsburgh manufacturers. Block laying was begun last week, but in consequence of the rain very little could be done. This week good progress has been made, and one gang lays about one hundred and fifty feet per day, from curb to curb. The portion now being laid is from Fortieth street down to the "forks of the road." On this part of the avenue, the blocks used are not subjected to the "preserving" process but are laid in their green state. On the main portion of the avenue from St. Mary's avenue to the city line (which forms a separate contract,) the blocks will be deprived of all moisture by the wood preserving process. For this purpose Gen. Barton is having two immense cylinders constructed, each of which is sixty feet long and eight feet in diameter, made out of boiler iron in Carroll & Snyder's best style. These cylinders are to be used in boiling the timber in oil, and putting it through the preserving process, previous to its being sawed into blocks. The machinery for this part of the work is very expensive, but once in operation the timber can be handled and treated with great facility. The difference in cost between the green and the preserved blocks is thirty cents per square, the latter being regarded as much the cheapest when the difference in durability is considered. We have not space to enter into the details of the process, but may refer to it hereafter.

As we have stated, the lumber is received both by river and rail—that by rail coming from the pineries around Saginaw, by way of Erie, to which point it is shipped by vessel from Saginaw. The greater portion now being received is from the mills in Jefferson county. It is floated in rafts which contain four-fifths block timber, such as we have described, and one-fifth flooring—inch-and-a-half planks, used in making the floor for the blocks to rest upon. The supply of lumber will be ample, and General Barton anticipates no delay for want of materials. He hopes to have the entire pavement laid and ready for travel early next fall.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Common Pleas—Judges Sterrett and Collier.

The case of Spencer, McKay & Co., vs. Normine, previously reported on trial before Judge Sterrett, was resumed and submitted to the jury.

The next case taken up in this branch of the Court was that of Kichel vs. Ewing et al., action in ejectment. On trial.

In the case of Fecht vs. Calhoun, reported on trial before Judge Collier, the jury found for the plaintiff in the sum of $42 64.

The next case taken up in this branch of the Court was that of James J. Kerr vs. The Excelsior Oil Manufacturing Company, action to recover for services rendered as agent of said Company.

District Court—Judges Hampton and Kirkpatrick.

The case of Foster vs. Coleman et al, reported on trial before Judge Hampton, was resumed, and is still on trial.

In Judge Kirkpatrick's branch of the Court, the case of Pope vs. Oliver, which has been on trial for several days, was submitted to the jury, but no verdict had been agreed upon when Court adjourned.

United States Circuit Court—Judges Strong and McKennan.

The case of Stitt vs. Hindekoper, previously reported, was resumed, and had not been concluded when Court adjourned.

That Examination Again.

PROF. GEO. J. LUCKEY: Dear sir:—Now that you have so promptly furnished the public with a copy of the "questions in Commercial Arithmetic and book-keeping submitted to the candidates for the vacant Professorship in the Commercial Department in the Central High School," your generous offer of the use of the "manuscripts of applicants" is appreciated. You will, therefore, please be kind enough to furnish a copy of the answers to said questions in Commercial Arithmetic and book-keeping, given by the candidate credited with 100 per cent. in book-keeping, and oblige.

MANY OUTSIDERS.

The Lesson of a Murder Trial.

Rev. L. W. Bacon, Congregationalist, lectured in Baltimore on Sunday night last, on the theme suggested by the late murder trial at Frederick. He concluded as follows:

What has the State of Maryland to say for the security of public order against the instincts of private vengeance and public justice outraged by the infamous crime of the seducer or adulterer? When murder has broken into your dwellings she points to the gallows and the executioner, saying, "Vengeance is mine." But when lust and adultery are defiling the sanctuary of your home, despoiling you of your treasures, which cannot be valued in gold, and embittering your life with a bereavement such as the clumsy arts of the murderer could never have accomplished, what has the majesty of this sovereign State to say to her suffering subject whose bosom is boiling with grief and just revenge? What but to pat him on the shoulder and say: "Be cool. There may be *money* in this thing if you manage it right." The impunity which the seducer enjoys under the law saves him not from hurt. It puts him under a law more sanguinary than Draco. It develops a common law stronger than any statute, which does more than authorize assassination, which invites scorn upon all law, and all authority, which implies that the law shall be affronted and insulted in its own Courts, misinterpreted by its own expounders, and the juries are to kiss the book to solemn oaths, in open expectation that they shall perjure themselves before they leave the box and march forth under the applause of the people.

Dissolution.

The undersigned, heretofore associated in business as co-partners, under the firm, name and style of Hoffman & Hale, at No. 60 Fifth avenue, known as the Opera House Music Store, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, and J. M. Hoffman, at the old stand, is authorized to receive and receipt for all claims due to the firm, and will attend to the payment of all debts.

J. M. HOFFMAN,
J. M. HALE.

Pittsburgh, May 9th, 1871.

Referring to above notice, I respectfully request all debtors to the late firm to call and settle their accounts with the least delay possible.

J. M. HOFFMAN,
Opera House Music Store,
No. 60 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A CARD.

I take pleasure in stating that I will continue the Music business in all its branches, on my own account, at the old stand, No. 60 Fifth avenue, Opera House building.

I have secured the agency for six of the first-class makes of Pianos, and four makes of Organs; and shall be glad to have my friends call and examine them. I have arrangements completed with reference to the importing business to enable me to fill all wholesale orders promptly.

J. M. HOFFMAN,
Opera House Music Store,
No. 60 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Get the Best.

Purchasers in the country, who are unable to visit the manufactory themselves, should be careful, in ordering crackers from their grocer, to specify *Marvin & Co.'s* manufacture. Those who desire a superior article of crackers, cakes, or biscuit, should remember to send for Marvin & Co.'s, if they cannot supply themselves personally at the bakery, Nos. 91 and 93 Liberty street. STUF.

Price of Wheat Advancing.

Jenkins & Bro., our flour men, report an advance on most brands of flour. Holders of wheat are looking for higher prices. †

HARK, from the tombs!
Beneath these stones repose the bones
Of Theodorius Grim,
Whose health most suddenly did fail
From ceasing to drink Pier, Dannals & Co.'s
Cream Ale. †

THE PRISON SOCIETY.

Its Work Abroad and at Home.

Charity may begin at home, but it sheds its benign influences everywhere. How many opportunities we miss of doing an angel's work! Happiness is easily given sometimes. Even a kind look brings forth tears of gratitude. It is the Christian's duty to take with him wherever he goes a loving and a willing heart. Jesus Christ talked with the woman and ministered cheering words to her, even though it was in Samaria.

At the last regular monthly meeting of the Allegheny County Prison Society, a member made the following report:

"I visited the Greene county jail, located at Waynesburg, and found it to be an old tumbling-down building. The lower portion being considered unfit for use is unoccupied. The second is no better than the lower, but to make it answer the purpose they have boarded up portions of the windows which gives it the appearance of a dungeon, and placed two iron cages, about seven by nine feet in dimensions, in the end of the room. In these cages, which contain nothing, they manage to keep six human beings, as Van Amburgh keeps his wild animals. The prisoners had not one Bible, and religious services were never held there by those who profess to follow Jesus. A more degraded prison for the reception of convicts or disgraceful to the people I have never yet visited.

"I also visited the jail in Washington, and found a new and well arranged prison, only deficient in ventilation—a great fault in most prisons. They have a good library for prisoners, the cells are furnished with Bibles, and religious services are conducted each Sabbath afternoon, by the Young Men's Christian Association of Washington. This jail has four inmates, one of whom is a prisoner from Greene county, held for safe keeping."

It is seen from the above that the members of the Prison Society are interested in the work abroad also. Wherever they can aid the prisoner and do him good, they are ready to do so. Of course the criminal must be punished for his misdeeds. It is not the object of the Prison Society to shield him from the punishment due to his crimes. But while we punish, it is human, yea, it is Christian to point out the better way, and to do all in our power to get the offender to walk in that way. To help the unfortunate, to lift up the fallen; if any are struggling to rid themselves from the bondage of their evil passions, and are laboring to abandon a vicious and wicked life, to help and encourage such a one is the grand object of the Prison Society. Its members visit our prisons, and send their agent there daily to talk with the inmates, and get them, if possible, to forsake their wickedness and become useful members of society.

And they have reason to believe that their efforts are not at all unfruitful. Beneficent results have in many instances been secured to those whose crimes have been their misfortune, rather than their fault. Families have been assisted who were turned out upon the streets, without sufficiency of clothing, having had no food scarcely for days, and no place to go for shelter or for sympathy and care. In many ways are these unfortunate people assisted, and we believe with lasting good impressions made upon their minds and hearts. Each Lord's Day religious services are held in the county jail under the management of the Committee on Religious Services.

Now such a society ought to receive encouragement from every citizen of Pittsburgh. Every earnest and true Christian at least ought to lend his influence and hearty support. If we cannot visit those who are "sick and in prison" ourselves, we can send some one. Will not the friends of humanity and those who are interested in the welfare of men at large remember this cause and donate liberally of their means? The Society is now several hundred dollars in debt.

A SINGULAR LARCENY CASE.

The Defendant Discharged.

Yesterday morning Edward Clinton, saloon keeper in the Diamond, made information at the Mayor's office charging John Murray with the larceny of two ten dollar notes and forty dollars in currency. The facts appeared to be these: Murray and another man stopped at Clinton's house on Thursday night, sleeping in a bed in the room occupied by Clinton and his wife. At seven o'clock yesterday morning the other man arose and departed. At nine Murray got up, and on looking for his pocket book, containing thirty dollars, and which he had placed under his pillow, the night before was unable to find it. He went down stairs and informed the proprietor of his loss, when Mrs. Clinton went up stairs and found the pocket book under the pillow, just as he had left it. She also discovered that the bed she and her husband had occupied had been shaken up, and a portmonaie, containing the sixty dollars mentioned, stolen. She reported the loss to her husband, who accused Murray with the theft. The accused was arrested, but the Mayor, on hearing the facts, promptly discharged him.

CITY MATTERS IN BRIEF.

A NEW Catholic Church will be erected on Sarah street this summer, on a lot 240 by 120 feet.

A NEW time-table goes into operation on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad on Monday.

THE grading of Clark street will soon be completed.

WATER pipe is being laid on Wylie avenue, through the Thirteenth ward.

MR. E. C. PARKE has resigned the Secretaryship of the Real Estate Savings Bank, a position he creditably filled for six years.

THE Franklin Literary Society is debating the question "Should Capital Punishment be Abolished?" and invite the public to come and hear them.

MESSRS. JONES & LAUGHLINS have purchased two lots on Carson street, for $13,000, on which they design erecting a warehouse.

TO-MORROW evening Rev. P. S. Davies, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, East Birmingham, will lecture on "The History of Total Abstinence from Intoxicating Drinks."

THE formal reopening of the Catholic Library will take place on Sunday evening. It will be remembered the library has been removed to the basement of St. Paul's Cathedral. Members and friends of the library are invited to be present. Admission free.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SWOOPE yesterday received from President Grant the pardon of George Siegrist, of this city, convicted in October last of keeping a tavern without paying the special tax, and sentenced to pay a fine of $1,000 and undergo six months imprisonment in the county jail.

A BILL has been read in the House prohibiting fishing with nets, seines or baskets of any kind in the Allegheny, Monongahela and Youghiogheny rivers, or any of their tributaries, under a penalty of not less than two hundred dollars, one-half of which shall go to the informer, and the other half to the school district in which the offense may be committed.

THE ladies connected with the Homœopathic Hospital propose holding an apron festival shortly to aid in sustaining the charity patients in the hospital. Aprons of every conceivable variety, at reasonable prices, will be offered for sale, in addition to which there will be a generous supply of strawberries, ice cream and other refreshments. Contributions of aprons may be sent to the hospital on Second avenue.

THE suit brought against the Connellsville Railroad Company by District Attorney Swoope to recover the five per cent. tax on the interest on their bonded indebtedness, and to recover the penalty for the failure of the company to make returns has been compromised. The company allege that they knew nothing of their liability in the matter, and were prompt in making the compromise as soon as it became known to them. $25,000 and costs is to be paid to the United States.

IT is with regret that we announce the death of a well known typo, Mr. William C. Westbay, which occurred at the residence of Col. F. H. Cooley, of the COMMERCIAL, yesterday morning at seven o'clock. Deceased was employed in the *Chronicle* office for a number of years, but had been in ill health for several months. The members of the Typographical Union will attend the funeral in a body.

CHIEF OF POLICE HAGUE received a telegram from the Chief of Police of Parkersburg, West Va., yesterday, asking whether the authorities here wanted John Thompson, who murdered a policeman of this city, in November last. Thompson is under arrest at Parkersburg, and it is presumed wanted to gain a little notoriety by concocting the murder story. The nearest to the murder of a policeman which has occurred in this city was the biting off of officer Johnson's ear, by one Newell. The authorities of Parkersburg have been informed that Thompson is not wanted here.

Wm. Miller & Co., Importers and Wholesale Grocers, Nos. 221 and 223 Liberty Street.

The above named house which is now in its thirty-sixth year of prosperity, and usefulness to the trade, does the largest business in their line of any house in the west. Mr. Miller, the senior member of the firm, is located in the city of Philadelphia, where he attends in person the importations made expressly for his house. The firm has gained an enviable reputation with the trade as being reliable, honorable and trustworthy in every sense of the word. Messrs. Bruff, Bonnet & Thorp, of the company, are men who have excellent judgment and years of practical experience, and with buyers their judgment is invariably brought into requisition when making purchases. Theirs is one of the largest importing houses of wines, such as the noted Henckle & Co., Bradenburg Bros., Moet & Chandon, Piper Heidsick and many others. Also the superior Maderia and Sherry, Burgundy, Crown Port and Sherry, and the stock of brandies cannot be excelled in the market. We were shown some imported French Otard of the vintage of 1840, and for purity and excellence it cannot be equaled. Also other liquors in great quantities which are warranted pure and unadulterated. To merchants, it is probably quite evident, that no branch of trade is more liable to deception and imposition, and their only safety is in dealing with only first class houses and of known reputation. With the advantage of long experience and their intimate commercial relations this house can guarantee ample satisfaction. In the grocery line their facilities are conceded to be equal to any emergency, and invariably ready to improve every opportunity and to avail themselves of the benefits of a fluctuating market. In sugars they deal very extensively. New Orleans, Port Rico, and Box sugars are brought here direct and are sold to as great if not greater advantage to the trade than is usually customary. In fact everything requisite to supply the grocery trade is kept in constant repletion, and to country merchants and dealers we would say that to purchase and to purchase well, the judgment and experience of a house must always be taken into consideration, and in matters where the trade may feel undecided, they can rely upon the faithfulness and upright and honorable dealings of Wm. Miller & Co. A call and a look through their large double store of four stories will probably be a better convincing proof than anything we might write. In their advertisement in another column they give a general idea in details out of what they have in stock.

The Baptist Anniversaries.

The annual meeting of the different Societies of the Baptist denomination will be held this year at Chicago, beginning May 18. Revs. Rowland, Young, Woodburn, and others from this city will attend the meeting. Several leading ministers of the denomination will be in our city to-day, on their way to Chicago, and our citizens will have an opportunity of hearing them to-morrow. Rev. Dr. Pendleton, of New York, will preach in the Union Baptist Church in the morning, and Rev. Dr. Wycoff in the First Church. In the evening there will be a Union Meeting at the Union Church, in the interest of the Bible Union Society. Drs. Pendleton and Wycoff will participate.

THE VERY THING NEEDED.—By every business man and accountant. A Silicate Slate Memoranda. These memorandas are made of slate, which readily receive pencil marks, and by moisture can be easily erased. The sizes are seven in number, and the dailies have each their respective day headings. They are much more convenient than any other memoranda or diary in use. It is simple, durable and takes up only a quarter of the room of an ordinary pocket diary. These slates are to be had at Messrs. J. R. Weldin & Co.'s, book sellers and stationers, 101 Wood street. We would advise all to call and examine them, and the price being so low a trial would convince that once used they would become a necessity.

AFTER MORE GOODS.—We are pleased to announce that Mr. Ramaley's Opera Hat House has been doing a thriving trade this season and the demands have been greater than was possibly anticipated. Consequently, Mr. R. has found it necessary to repair to the eastern markets of Boston, New York and Philadelphia to replenish his stock of light summer wear. The assurance to the public that the best taste and most stylish wear of the season will be introduced is that Mr. Ramaley is there in person, and will make such additional arrangements as will keep his stock full and equal to any establishment in the country.

TRAIN.

He Visits the Commercial Office and Provokes a Train of Reflections.

Having in our life time known a number of persons addicted to soarings after the infinite and divings after the unfathomable, but who were not addicted to paying cash, we have for several years accepted upon general principles the poet's observation that

"Great wits to madness closely are allied,
And their partitions do their bounds divide,"

because the statement corresponded with our own experience in the premises; but we never knew *how* true it was, nor what subtle insight into human nature it indicated, until yesterday, when its fine esoteric meaning was fully elucidated and exemplified. In other words, the COMMERCIAL was yesterday "honored" with a visit from a man who came so nearly being a genius as to be—George Francis Train, the inspired blatherskite and egotistic king. He announced himself quite modestly—it is not necessary, indeed, that a Cæsar should make any fuss over himself, the potency of the dread name is sufficiently awe-inspiring. Our colleague, to whom on entering the office he made the revelation, is a philosopher, with a journalistic experience reaching through so many years that we had supposed him perfectly unemotional, but his nerves were not strong enough to withstand this electric shock—he lost his mental poise and began to read his manuscripts upside down. Another *collabarateur*, who was indulging in the luxury of a cigar, threw it out of the window immediately on hearing his name—whether from reverence or fear of an explosion, we do not know. Mr. Train began to talk—how he does talk! it is astonishing how so much gas can be packed within so small a compass. In five minutes he had satisfactorily settled all the riddles and perplexities of the universe—ranging over religion, morals, science, literature, politics, in a way that made us hold our breath with wonder as to how the poor old world managed to get along before he was born. He is to prose what Walt Whitman is to poetry, if anybody knows what that is—the embodiment of eloquence in a state of decomposition, and his conversation has the odd flavor of a mixture of Algernon Sydney and stale cabbage. He has, however, a number of good qualities, because he explicitly declared himself to be an uncompromising enemy of Tammany, and stated with equal fervor that "he wouldn't trust the Democratic party to drive a pair of jackasses abreast over an unfenced prairie," from which we infer that neither himself nor Frank Blair is in danger of being hitched to the Democratic buggy. He divides the people of the country into two classes—knaves and fools—and professes to be sure of election to the Presidency, a result which we consider very probable if his judgment respecting the masses be correct. At last we grew aweary, and began to cast about for a mode of escape, but when he informed us that he was about leaving for Chicago, to lecture four consecutive nights, our good humor was instantly restored. We never did feel kindly toward that city, and we are glad of its impending wretchedness.

THE LICENSE BOARD.

Applications Granted and Refused.

The License Board met at the usual hour yesterday morning, when the following applications were were announced as having been granted by the Board:

PITTSBURGH.

Andrew Mors, Second ward; John Flynn, Seventh ward; Thos. Dugan, Ninth ward; Charles Stewart, Nineteenth ward.

ALLEGHENY.

James Campbell, Second ward; William Hughsman, Fourth ward; Patrick Monahan, Sixth ward; Peter Dornberger, Seventh ward; Joseph Bauer, Eighth ward.

BOROUGHS AND TOWNSHIPS.

Daniel Trainor, Birmingham; A. F. Panlin, East Birmingham; Eliza Fisher, Temperanceville; John Matthias, Union borough; Thomas Walsh, Union borough; S. Yeakel, Richland township.

REFUSED.

W. Dechtermuller, Fifth ward, Allegheny; Louis Engel, Sixth ward, Allegheny.

THE HEARINGS.

The Board then proceeded with the names on the eleventh list of applicants, and after hearing some twenty-three cases, adjourned until Monday morning at ten o'clock.

PITTSBURGH PRESBYTERY.

Adjourned Meeting—Pastor Installed.

An adjourned meeting of the Presbytery of Pittsburgh was held in the church of Mt. Pisgah on the 11th inst. The object of the meeting was to ordain and install Mr. Ezra S. Heaney as pastor of that church. Rev. S. J. Wilson, D. D., Moderator of Presbytery, presided. Mr. Heaney stood a satisfactory examination in his several trials for ordination. Dr. Wilson proposed the constitutional questions. Dr. Smith offered the ordaining prayer. Dr. Jennings delivered the charge to the pastor, and Rev. R. R. Donehoo delivered the charge to the people.

Rev. Wm. H. Greenough of the Fourth Church was called on to preach the sermon, in the absence of the Rev. S. F. Scovel, who had been previously appointed for that service.

Mr. Greenough though called upon on such short notice preached a most interesting discourse which was listened to with the closest attention by all present.

The people of Mt. Pisgah provided a bountiful repast in the grove adjoining their Church. Ample justice was done to that dinner by a respectable multitude.

Some other matters were disposed of beside the installation of Mr. Heaney.

Mr. Cornelius signified his acceptance of the call from Oakdale, and Presbytery agreed to meet in Oakdale on the 13th of June at 2 P. M. to ordain and install Mr. Cornelius.

The Church of Birmingham presented a call for the pastoral services of Rev. P. S. Davies, who has been their stated supply for several years. They desire that he be regularly installed as their pastor.

Presbytery adjourned to meet at Oakdale June 13th at 2 P. M.

THE SHELTERING ARMS.

The Plans Completed—Work Soon to be Commenced.

At a special meeting of the managers of "The Sheltering Arms," held Thursday morning, 11 inst., the plans for the proposed building were submitted to the consideration of the meeting and were accepted.

The plans have been drawn gratuitously by Mr. Geo. C. Monahan, a young architect of Allegheny city, and are gotten up in a most beautiful manner, reflecting great credit on Mr. Monahan, and fully meriting the thanks of the managers for his skill and liberality.

The managers have subscriptions to within four thousand dollars of the amount required to undertake the erection of the wing of the building, and will commence early this coming summer.

The managers earnestly solicit contributions, that will enable them to complete this much needed institution.

COUNTERFEITER SENTENCED.

To Five Years Imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

Yesterday morning in the United States Circuit Court, on motion of the District Attorney, Mr. Swoope, the case of Michael Hartzell, indicted for passing counterfeit money, and which was certified from the District Court, was called up. The defendant is a resident of Columbia county, and has been in our jail for some time past. Hartzell on being arraigned plead guilty, and Judge Strong, who occupied the bench, sentenced him to five years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

A Persistent Fellow.

We stated yesterday that Henry Langlitz, proprietor of the "Free and Easy" corner of First avenue and Wood street, had been returned by Officer Andrew Harcum for selling liquor without license. That information was for selling on Wednesday, and as stated he was arrested and held to bail for a hearing yesterday morning. At the appointed time he appeared and entered bail in the sum of $300 for his appearance at Court. After the hearing had been held Officer Patsley lodged an information charging him with selling on Thursday, and subsequently officer John Richards made oath to an information charging him with selling yesterday. Warrants were issued, but as Langlitz was in attendance at the License Court, they were not served until evening, when he was brought up and held for Court. Langlitz says his license does not expire until June, and that he will continue to sell. Mayor Brush told him he was making a mistake if he supposed for a moment that he would beat him in the matter, and that an information for every day he sells will be lodged against him.

The Vehicle License Law.

The time allowed by law for teamsters and owners of vehicles to take out the required city license has expired, and in accordance with public notice given, Chief of Police Hague will proceed directly with the arresting of all those on whose vehicles license plates for the ensuing year do not appear. Yesterday the work was inaugurated by the institution of suits against Peter Galligan and Thomas O'Rourke, and summons were issued. In addition to their being required to take out license, they will, when arrested, be subject to fine and costs for their neglect. Last year, it will be recollected, the efforts of the police in this direction resulted in the collection of about $17,000 of licenses that otherwise would have been uncollected.

THE route of the Monongahela Valley Railroad has been located to Street's Run, or Six-Mile Ferry. Mr. Byers, the Chief Engineer, made an experimental line back over part of the road, but being satisfied that his location is best, is again on his line up the river, and as soon as the road is located to Lock No. 3, the lower section will be at once put under contract. Mr. Black, the President, is determined to this course, and we are assured that the early summer will see men at work along the line.

SOUTH SIDE.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

THE Veteran Guards will hold an election for Second Lieutenant this evening.

BURGESS JONES, of East Birmingham, is in Harrisburg looking after the passage of the Supplement to the Charter.

THE proposals for building the new market house in Birmingham will be handed in at the next meeting of the Council.

FRANK WALTER entered suit before Justice Heisel yesterday, charging William Nunz with locking and barring the door of deponent's premises, and refusing to allow him to effect an enterance into said premises. A warrant was issued.

JOSEPHINE BRANDY, complained to Justice Heisel on yesterday, that Jermiah Drumm called her ugly names and seized her by the neck, in a violent manner, and chocked her. A warrant was issued.

ENOS DUNCAN charged Sack Davis with the larceny of a coat. The accused was arrestd and the garment recovered. The defendant alleged Davis owed him forty cents and he appropriated the coat and gave him credit therefore. Held for a hearing.

THE question of having a wood pavement laid on Sarah street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-seventh streets, will be definitely settled at a special meeting of the East Birmingham Council next Friday evening.

Runaway and Accident.

Thursday evening Major J. W. Patterson and Mr. Peter Haberman were out in Baldwin township for the purpose of surveying some coal land, and in returning they took the Becks Run road. While driving along this road the harness broke, the buggy run forward on the horse, and he frightened and ran off. Mr. Haberman first fell out and was severely injured, and Major Patterson, followed, not however until the buggy upset with him. After Mr. H. was "spilled" Mr. Patterson tried to catch the lines, but failed, and just then the buggy careened, with the result stated. Mr. Haberman received a number of severe bruises, and Major Patterson, beside having his eye bunged up and nose bruised, sustained a severe wound on his leg, which has confined him to his home. It is fortunate the accident was not attended with more serious results, as the road where it occurred is not the best we have seen for a horse to run away upon. Dr. Oldshue attended the injured men. The buggy was entirely demolished.

AN OLD TARIFF DOCUMENT.

A Statement of the Comparative Extent and Value of the Manufactures of Pittsburgh in 1815 and 1819.

Hon. John E. Parke, of Allegheny, who has a fondness for old documents relating to the city, has received from Mr. Oliver R. Anshutz, of Beaver, a copy of a printed circular, containing the proceedings of a meeting held during the "hard times" which succeeded the war of 1812, and giving facts and figures to convince the law makers of that day that the prosperity of the country depended upon the protection of domestic manufactures. The document was prepared a little over fifty years ago, and is also interesting as exhibiting the extent of our manufactures in the "flush times" when foreign goods were not admitted, and when home industry flourished. We subjoin the document entire.

At a town meeting held in the city of Pittsburgh, agreeable to public notice, John Darragh, Esq., was called to the chair, and Matthew B. Lowrie, Esq., appointed Secretary. Messrs. Henry Doane, George Sutton and Robert Patterson, the Committe appointed at a former meeting, to furnish a condensed view of the present state of our manufacturers, contrasted with what they were in 1815, submitted the following statement:

A STATEMENT

Of the comparative extent and value of the manufacturers of Pittsburgh and vicinity in the years 1815 and 1819, viz:

MANUFACTORIES.	Hands employed. 1815	Value of Manufactures. 1815	Hands Employed. 1819	Value of Manufactures. 1819
Steam engine factories	290	$330,000	24	$40,000
Founderies and iron castings	163	190,000	40	80,000
Iron and nail factories	65	241,200	30	40,500
Blacksmiths and whitesmiths	90	90,000	30	40,000
Glass and glass cutting*	169	235,000	40	35,100
Hat manufactories	69	122,500	30	50,300
Woolen fact's and hosiery	63	48,500	16	16,150
Saddlers	68	90,100	28	56,020
Breweries	28	91,050	18	35,000
White and red lead fact	25	110,000	9	35,000
Tobacconists	48	45,850	27	27,550
Brass founderies	35	49,633	12	11,700
Rope-making	18	30,000	15	15,000
Saddle-tree factories	28	29,500	12	14,000
Tin factories and coppersmiths	100	300,000	40	45,000
Chair factories and cabinet making	66	90,000	40	24,500
Silver-plating	30	32,450	8	8,500
Cotton factories	42	42,000	0	0
Plane making	20	25,000	10	9,500
Wire weaving	10	12,000	7	6,000
Wire making	8	21,000	0	0
Button making	6	6,250	3	2,100
Umbrella making	2	1,600	0	0
Piano Forte making	4	2,000	1	700
Tailors	60	65,000	22	28,500
Shoemakers	140	125,500	50	49,000
Patent balances, scales, &c	10	10,000	4	3,500
Yellow queensware	9	10,000	0	0
Pipe making	3	1,800	0	0
Linen Factories	25	25,000	0	0
Wagon making, &c.	40	40,000	22	18,500
Paper making	50	40,000	30	30,000
Augur makers, bellows makers, brush makers, cotton spinners, weavers, curriers, cutlers, locksmiths, spinning machine makers, tanners, tallow chandlers, pattern makers, silversmiths, gunsmiths, soap boilers	175	195,000	90	130,000
	1960	$2,617,833	672	$832,000

*On flint glass alone the reduction has been $75,000.

(Signed) GEORGE SUTTON,
HENRY DOANE,
ROBT. PATTERSON,
Committee.

PITTSBURGH, December 24, 1819.

The above report being read and approved of, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

While we compare the present languishing state of our manufactures with what they have lately been, we regret to find, on an examination of the facts here exhibited, that in the last four years a decrease of more than two-thirds has actually taken place. Therefore,

Resolved, That one hundred copies of the foregoing report, together with the proceedings of the meeting, be printed in hand-bills, and that one copy be sent to each of our representatives in Congress, and our State Legislature, with an earnest request that they will zealously endeavor to have such measures adopted as will best secure, encourage and protect our Domestic Manufactures.

Resolved, That the editors of newspapers in this city be requested to publish this statement, that these facts being made known to the community at large, may have some tendency to cause them to abandon the use of foreign goods of every kind, which we consider as a principal cause of our present embarassments.

Resolved, That the gentlemen who furnished the report are entitled to the thanks of the community for the satisfactory manner in which they have discharged the duty assigned them.

JOHN DARRAGH, Chairman.
Attest: MATTHEW B. LOWRY, Secretary.
December 30th, 1819.

REMARKS.

It is a matter of history that from 1817 up until the passage of the tariff of 1824, the country was impoverished by the introduction of foreign goods and the discouragement of home manufactures; while the period immediately succeeding the passage of the tariff act of that year was perhaps the most prosperous in the history of the country. When the above statement was prepared, our manufactories were languishing, business of all kinds was depressed, workmen were idle, and money was scarce. Some of the trades which flourished previous to that date were crushed out altogether. In the short period of four years, the number of hands employed in our then infant city was reduced from 1,960 to 672—1,288 having been thrown idle, or compelled to seek some other means of livelihood. The product of manufactured goods was reduced from over two and a half millions dollars to less than one million.

But with all the disadvantageous tinkering with the tariff, how have our manufactories grown and flourished in the last half century! How insignificant the 672 hands of 1819 seem, when compared with the 38,635 hands of 1870! The gross product of manufactures in 1819 was $832,000; in 1870 it was $78,239,906.

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WANTED.

WANTED—STILL—A SMALL SECOND-HAND Still. Address Lock Box 123, P. O.

WANTED—MILLINER—AN EXPERIENCED Milliner can procure a situation by applying at No. 214 Fifth avenue.

WANTED—ALL FAMILIES AND OTHERS to know that Dr. GRIFFITH, Physician from London, will give Medical Advice free to the poor. Special attention paid to all diseases of children or adults. Office 145 Fifth avenue, corner of Wylie. Hours 8 A. M. to 12 M.; 2 to 5, and 7 to 9 P. M.

WANTED—PIANO—A FIRST RATE Piano, new or second-hand, in exchange for a first rate Patent on a first rate Non-explosive Lamp, which the inventor has not time to push. Those meaning business will address Ben Zipe, this office.

WANTED—GOVERNESS—IN A PRIVATE family, near the city. Must be qualified to instruct on the Piano, as well as to teach young children the English branches. Address Watson, Commercial office, giving name, references, and where an interview can be had.

WANTED—SITUATION—AN EXPERIENCED Bookkeeper desires a Situation, with Capital to loan. Satisfactory reference given. Address J., this office.

WANTED—MONEY—FOR ONE YEAR $4,000, for which First Bond and Mortgage will be given on improved or unimproved city property. Address, for three days, giving real name, place of interview, and rate of interest, box 3, Commercial office.

WANTED—FURNISHED ROOM—FOR a Single Gentleman, near the Postoffice. Address H. M., Commercial office.

WANTED—GARDNER—A PRACTICAL Gardner. Married Man, without family, preferred. Address J. S. MACK, Commercial office.

WANTED—PARTNER—AN ACTIVE Partner in a home business. Some Capital required, but most of which will be furnished by the Advertiser, who wishes to be a Silent Partner. Address, for a few days, Lock Box 415. tf

WANTED—STOVE MOUNTER—A good Stove Mounter. A Married Man is preferred. Steady employment will be given. Address RUSSELL & WILLIAMSON, West Middlesex, Mercer county, Pa., by mail or in person.

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NOTICES.

☞ UNION LUBRIC OIL COMPANY.—An Adjourned Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Boatman's Insurance Company, No. 84 Fourth avenue, on FRIDAY, May 19th, at 2 o'clock P. M.
THOMAS DONNELLY, Chairman.

☞ NOTICE—TO THE OWNERS of Property abutting on Frankstown avenue, between Penn avenue and Fifth avenue crossing, that there will be an Election held at the Twenty-first Ward School House, SATURDAY, May 20, 1871, between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing five suitable persons for Commissioners to let and superintend the Grading and Paving of said avenue. By order of Election Board appointed by Council for said purpose.

☞ NOTICE—THE STOCKHOLDERS of the PENNSYLVANIA SALT MANUFACTURING COMPANY are hereby notified that a Special Meeting will be held at the office of the Company, No. 121 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Penna., on SATURDAY, May 20th, 1871, at 12 o'clock M., to consider the propriety of extending the business of the Company in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the Company approved the 7th day of April, A. D. 1849, and the supplement thereto, approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1860.
THOMAS SPARKS,
GEO. T. LEWIS,
ELIJAH DAVIS,
F. P. STEEL,
Directors.

DIVIDENDS.

☞ DIAMOND SAVINGS BANK OF PITTSBURGH.—The Board of Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of SEVEN PER CENT. on the Capital Stock paid in, payable to the Stockholders forthwith.
JOHN S. SCULLY, Cashier.
May 9, 1871.

☞ DIVIDEND NOTICE—THE DIRECTORS of the RALSTON OIL COMPANY have this day declared a Dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT, payable forthwith at the office of the Company, No. 251 Liberty street.
WILLIAM H. KIRKPATRICK, Treasurer.
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1871.

☞ THIRD NATIONAL BANK.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable free of tax on and after 12th inst.
W. STEINMEYER, Cashier.
Pittsburgh, May 6, 1871.

☞ GERMAN NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Dividend of SIX PER CENT. (6) on the Capital Stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable to Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 11th proximo, free of all taxes.
JOS. LAURENT, Cashier.
Pittsburgh, April 29, 1871.

NOTICE.—THE FIRM OF W. M. & H. CLANEY & CO. Is this day dissolved. All claims against said firm will be paid by HUGH CLANEY, as well as all accounts due said Company will be paid to him, as he is the only authorized party to use said firm's name in the settling of their business.
W. M. CLANEY,
HUGH CLANEY,
POLLIE C. CLANEY.
May 11, 1871.

DISSOLUTION—Notice is hereby given that the copartnership of J. F. SADLER, JAMES HAVENS, and HOWARD B. BATES was dissolved on the 11th inst. by mutual consent.
(Signed) J. F. SADLER,
JAS. HAVENS,
HOWARD B. BATES.
East Liberty, Pa., May 12, 1871.

STATEMENT OF THE REAL ESTATE SAVINGS BANK, April 29th, 1871.

ASSETS.

Bonds and Mortgages, being first liens on Real Estate		$607,122 14
U. S. 1881 bonds at par		25,000 00
U. S. 5-20 bonds at cost		82,646 10
Real Estate		2,750 64
Office Furniture		503 60
Cash		30,642 43
Total		$748,665 21

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$686,507 38	
Due Depositors, interest, May 1, 1871	17,982 69	
		704,490 07
Balance Contingent Fund		44,175 14
Total		$748,665 21

The above is a true statement.
ISAAC JONES, President.
GEO. H. HOLTZMAN, Secretary.

The undersigned, Auditing Committee, have examined the Books of the Bank, the Bonds, Mortgages and Securities, and counted the Cash, and find the foregoing statement correct.
NICHOLAS VOEGTLY, Jr.,
H. CHILDS,
WM. H. SMITH,
Committee.

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AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.,

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The Daily Commercial.

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1871.

THE High Commission treaty, the full text of which we published in yesterday's COMMERCIAL, is a document of such grave importance, embracing international principles of so profound a character, that we defer any comment upon it, or discussion of its various provisions, until we have familiarized ourselves with their details.

IT is now said that in view of the irreconcileable differences of opinion existing between the leaders of Northern and Southern Democracy, it is proposed to adopt the plan of going into the next canvass without a platform. Why not? There are songs without words. Why should there not be a party without a platform? We advise them to try it, and if they could manage without a candidate it would be all the better.

SOME time ago we referred to the fact that the Texas Legislature had under consideration the subject of dividing the State into three parts, creating two new States. The project has since received the almost unanimous approbation of the people. The press is well nigh a unit in advocacy of the plan, which will probably be submitted to a popular vote at the next election, and, judging from all appearances, approved by a vast majority.

THE COMMERCIAL having given credence to the statement of the New York *Sun* that one of the fraudulent items interpolated into the Supply bill after its passage by the New York Legislature, was in favor of the firm of which the Lieutenant Governor is a partner, it is proper to explain that Lieutenant Governor BEACH declares the statement to have been without any foundation of fact, no item of the character charged having been inserted or proposed to be inserted in the bill as alleged.

THE *Golden Age* states it to be a generally understood fact that many of the leading statesmen in the Republican party, whose influence is powerfully felt in making Presidential nominations, are getting into substantial agreement among themselves as to the non-feasibility of renominating General GRANT. To which we reply that it is too early in the season to determine for or against any possible candidate. If it cannot be predicted "what a day may bring forth," it is hardly worth while to attempt to set the clock for next year. Besides, the people are the proper custodians of the country's chronometer, and will, when the hour comes, demand to be consulted as to the time of day.

THE Woman's Rights movement is making headway in Massachusetts. The Governor of that State has appointed Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE and Mrs. STEVENS Justices of the Peace for the county in which they reside. It is thought that the appointments will receive confirmation by the Executive Council. The report of the Committee on Constitutional Amendments, which is now ready to be submitted to the Legislature of that State, and will come up for debate in a few days, will also contain recommendations on the subject of woman suffrage. The majority report will take grounds that it is inexpedient to extend the franchise, while a strong minority will report in favor of suffrage for women.

GENERAL SHERIDAN, who has just returned from Europe, bears his testimony to "the Giant in the spiked helmet." He attributes the successes of the Prussians to the excellent scientific military education of their officers and to the admirable discipline of the men. He makes no invidious comparisons between the French and Germans, and accounts for the reverses of the former, whose skill and prowess he admits, upon the ground of political troubles at home. The beauty of the Prussian mind, he says, consists in its great carefulness, citing the King and VON MOLTKE with great praise. The General thinks our military system would be vastly improved by the introduction of certain European ideas, but believes "there is nothing like our army for work."

REFERRING to the Conference between the Governor of South Carolina and the Executive Committee of the Financial Convention, the New York *Herald* says "it was a very edifying spectacle to see old Major-General BUTLER consulting about filthy lucre with carpet-bag Governor SCOTT." We should think so, indeed, the ex-rebel General being a young man, in the full prime of lusty vigor and power. We fear that this journal of the "wonderful influence," this confidential adviser to the Fates, this familiar expounder of all mysteries, past, present and to come, is beginning to lose something of its supernatural wisdom. On Wednesday it advocated SHERMAN's election to the Presidency because the White House needed an accomplished mistress; transmogrifying the grim old warrior into a perfumed lady, with a pouncet-box between her fingers. If it goes on at this rate we shall presently outgrow the sense of awe with which it has hitherto inspired us.

PAPAL INFALLIBILITY AND AMERICAN DEMOCRACY.

Few facts of the time are more worthy of attention and reflection than the different impression produced in Europe and in this country by the declaration of the Pope's personal infallibility. The belief is well founded that, if this supreme act of arrogance and folly had not been committed, the Italian Government, a Catholic power, never would have dared to divest His Holiness of his temporal domains. But by the act and its fearful implications the reason of intelligent children of the Church was so grossly outraged and their affections so completely alienated, that the procedure of VICTOR EMANUEL and his counsellors has been without hesitation and with little dissent approved by the faithful of Italy. The Government and people of Austria, for so many ages devoted to the Catholic Church and ever ready to obey its behests, at last thoroughly alarmed by the astounding claim of a foreign sovereign to regulate their acts and even their thoughts in virtue of the possession of unerring wisdom, threw off the yoke. They forbade the priests to meddle with their schools, and rebuked the Pope for his protest against the prohibition. France, which may almost be said to have made the Papacy what it was, which certainly interposed again and again to save it from destruction; which always stamped out opposition to its pretensions with an iron heel, and by measures of persecution in its interest incurred infamy that seemed to it glory; France also was extensively alarmed by the decree of the Council, and but for the war with Germany would probably have made known its disgust in some decisive way. The effects of the monstrous decree in Catholic and Protestant Germany have already fully justified the warnings of the distinguished Bishops, who, while the dogma was under discussion, told the Council that its adoption would in all probability prove disastrous to the church. For many years the rights of religious freedom have been dear to all the German churches, the Catholic not excepted, and no measure of ingenuity could have devised a claim better adapted to frighten and disgust its members than the claim involved in the recognition of the Pope's infallibility. In Wurtemburg it is with reason believed that neither the government nor the people will accept the decree. When lately giving some account of Dr. DOELLINGER, we told how it is regarded in Bavaria. We may now add that the reaction against Rome in Bavaria is so general and powerful that the priests who a few years ago were held in the deepest respect and exerted a paramount influence in affairs, now complain that "their voice is no more regarded than the barking of a dog," (*als wenn ein Hund bellt*). The image is not ours, it is sacerdotal. The Prussian government, with its large Catholic population from the first, took the utmost care to make known its condemnation of the decree and its utter rejection of the Papal rights of interference which it implies. Finally the *Reichstag*, or German Parliament, by a vote of 243 against 63, has adopted an address, in which the specific cause of the decline and fall of the old German Empire is declared to have been its intimate relations with the Papacy, and in which it is emphatically affirmed that no such foreign intermeddling with German affairs can ever again be tolerated. A manifest reference to the great Papal scheme of which the dogma of infallibility is the corner stone and foundation. The action of the *Reichstag* just quoted is understood to be very widely approved by the Catholics of Southern Germany.

No wonder that the dogma receives such decided and unanimous condemnation from nearly all European Catholics who comprehend its import and who have any concern for civil liberty and freedom of thought. In fact, the dogma "virtually claims for the Pope the civil allegiance of every member of his Church in the world," and is, therefore, regarded by European Catholic statesmen as wholly incompatible with the obligations which the subject and the citizen owe to King and Government. But as *Harper's Weekly* lately remarked in substance, it is truly remarkable that while the dogma calls forth such vehement protests from Catholics in Europe, the most unanimous and servile acquiescence in it is found among the Romanists of the American Republic. Among them no voice is lifted in protest or remonstrance. They universally accept the dictum that it contains nothing new, nothing which has not always been implicitly taught and believed in the church, a statement which offers the grossest insult to the intelligence of those to whom it is made. The fact that so considerable a portion of the American population are so easily imposed upon in a matter of the kind is really a subject for serious reflection, especially in connection with the fact that one of the old political parties of the country readily accepts the monstrous misrepresentation as simple truth and as a reason for the regulation of its sympathies and action. In illustration we need merely remind readers that one of the noblest protests against the dogma—the substitution in Rome of a popular government for the most atrocious despotism on earth—commands neither sympathy nor respect from the leaders and organs of the party which claims to be pre-eminently democratic. No single fact could more strikingly indicate the emptiness of its pretensions.

SENSE IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

The South Carolina Convention promises good results. That there have been gross extravagance and mismanagement in the administration of the finances of that State cannot be doubted, but it was feared that the political hostility to the State Government of the great majority of the delegates composing the Convention would prevent the adoption of any feasible plan for the correction of the abuses complained of. It is always pleasant to know that things are not as bad as they seem. On the one hand the movement which led to the Convention was evidently based on an impression that illegal and fraudulent manipulation of the public funds had taken place, and on the other it was feared that the Convention would pronounce for the repudiation of the taxes, which would have been the first step toward anarchy and civil war. Happily these forbodings have proved groundless. The Executive and State officials invite full investigation into their books and accounts, and the Convention expressed itself perfectly satisfied with the promise of the Governor not to enforce the penalty for non-payment of the tax for next November until the following March. The Convention passed a resolution opposing repudiation, and the Governor promised to co-operate with the people in inaugurating a more economical administration of the State Government. A significant feature of the Convention was the speech made by Hon. G. A. TRENHOLM, formerly Secretary of the Confederate Treasury, who fully accepted negro suffrage, and declared that, in view of all the circumstances of the war, the clemency of the North towards the South was such as history furnishes few examples of. The moderation which has marked the proceedings of the Convention cannot fail to work a visible improvement in the financial credit of the State. Indeed, directly after adjournment State bonds went up two and a half per cent. It is said that a number of politicians condemn the conciliatory course of the Governor, and charge him with the design of betraying his party; but if by his patience and forbearance he succeeds in rescuing that Commonwealth from threatened insolvency, destroys prejudice, prevents ill-feeling, reduces local expenses, and puts the State on a footing of order, harmony and prosperity, he can well afford to be called harsh names by dishonest and incompetent men whose schemes of plunder and aggrandisement he has checkmated. Now let the spirit of South Carolina quicken all the States of the South. Let us have peace.

IT WOULD be rather unfair to express or form an opinion concerning RULLOFF's theory of the formation of language from the meagre statement of it in his letter to Mr. THOMAS, printed in the COMMERCIAL of yesterday. One may say, however, that as thus stated by himself, it does not look even in the slightest degree plausible, and besides seems to ignore the researches and established conclusions of the comparative philologists in the science in which, according to VOLTAIRE, the consonants go for little while the vowels go for nothing at all. Then RULLOFF's interpretation of the 171st line of the first Iliad, is excessively elaborate, far-fetched, and wholly unsatisfactory. His remark is quite true that "as the words are usually rendered, there is neither life nor sense in the passage." In Mr. LEWIS's article in the last *North American Review*, on BRYANT's translation of the Iliad the passage to which RULLOFF refers, is quoted as an instance of a Homeric passage which is incorrectly rendered in "all the translations, whether in prose or verse." Without changing a letter, but merely assuming (on sufficient grounds) that the pronoun of the second person is used in the dative instead of the accusative case, the passage receives both life and sense. Let schoolmasters and school boys "make a note of it."

THE *Essay on Man* is perhaps the most popular of Pope's works, and within the last few years both in England and in this country, it has been issued in cheap form for circulation among the people. We have even read somewhere of a benevolent gentleman, who when at the point of death, or at any rate when making his will, could find no better use for a portion of his estate than to appropriate it to the purpose of providing a large edition of the *Essay on Man* for gratuitous distribution. He liked its principles and wished to propagate them. It is said that the poet very imperfectly understood the doctrines which he clothed in such melodious verse. Lord Bolingbroke drew up the essay in prose, which Pope then versified. As he was, or wished to be thought a good Catholic, he was greatly grieved when the critics after the publication of the poem, showed that it was full of pantheism and other abominations, and he was afterwards much obliged to Bishop Warburton who proved that the critics had made a mistake and that the poem was orthodox in spite of them. It is certain that the line—

> "A mighty maze but not without a plan."

As it now stands, was, in the first manuscript draught of the poem,

> "A mighty maze and all without a plan."

A mighty difference of meaning, which can hardly be referred to a sudden change of opinion in the author.

THE visit of the Grand Duke Alexis, of Russia, the third son of the reigning Czar, who was expected in June, has been postponed until October. King Thakamban, of the Fejee Islands, will, however, visit the country in August, to arrange for the instruction of his heir apparent, the Crown Prince of the Cannibal Islands. He has also on the tapis an important negotiation with our government, growing out of the fondness manifested by his subjects for baked missionary as an article of festive diet. He proposes to pay the value of the crews and cargoes of two missionary ships which landed among the Fijians several years ago. In a fit of pleasantry and hospitality, the countrymen of Thakamban ate the whole cargoes, except a few unsightly animals called hogs, which, by the customs of the Fijians, were unfit for human food. The fashion of America and the belles of Newport, Saratoga, Cape May and Long Branch, need not, therefore, grow disconsolate—they will still have an opportunity to exercise their graceful blandishments upon royalty.

THE Memphis *Avalanche*, which is one of the very few Democratic journals that refuses to butt its head against the nineteenth century, castigates the Southern Bourbons and their Northern allies after this sharp fashion:

> "The miserable politician and the foul-mouthed demagogue, who wears an affidavit face—whose own dirty record he is striving to conceal by the shreds torn from a battle flag he never followed—is an enemy to the peace of the country. He feeds on poisons like Mithridates, and swallows hell itself by the half acre."

This description would be perfect if the words "by the tumblerful" were substituted for the closing phrase. There is no doubt of the extreme fondness of these gentry for sulphur, but they generally take it in a liquid form.

Some genius, it is said, has lately succeeded in perfecting an invention which will revolutionize the soda water business. The invention consists of condensed soda water, put up in boxes, containing material for sixteen glasses of as pure soda water as can be drawn from any fountain. The powder is charged with gas, sweetened and flavored with pine-apple, orange, lemon, etc., ready for use, and a picnic party can carry their soda fountain in their pockets.

AS AN instance of Chicago enterprise, the *Evening Journal* states that one day recently the ocean and land telegraphs brought to that city by 9:30 in the morning, an order from Liverpool of the same day at 11 in the morning, for the purchase of 5,000 bushels of wheat. At 11 in the morning the reply had started back announcing that the order was filled, and at 4:30 in the afternoon the whole quantity of wheat was in the cars and had actually started on its way to New York, whence it would take steamer for its destination.

GENERAL AND PARTICULAR.

One of the coast planters in Louisiana having cautioned his Chinese laborers, in case of annoyance from negroes, not to take the law into their own hands, was surprised recently at observing a procession of the Chinamen coming from the quarters, bearing at their head a dark package. They marched with great deliberation and dignity up to the mansion and laid their burden at the feet of the planter. It proved to be a "chunk of a negro," securely bound as only Chinamen know how to tie a parcel of goods. The negro was scared out of his senses, though entirely unhurt. Laying him quietly down on the gallery, the leader of the Chinese, pointing to the dark mass, said to the planter: "Niggah! too much! too much niggah!" and then the whole party trotted back to their work. It was an hour's hard work to untie the frightened negro, who, on his release, very cheerfully acted upon the suggestion of the planter to "make himself scarce."

The Census Bureau, while waiting for a few additional returns to come in before sending the population volume of the census to press, is engaged in prosecuting the work necessary for the other volumes. The nativity table for the State of Florida indicates that that State may challenge any in the Union to a comparison of the cosmopolitan character of population. In a foreign born population of 4,967, between seventy and eighty countries are represented. There are also included in the native-born, natives of all the States but two, and of three territories.

The passenger cars on the Austrian railway from Vienna to Oderberg are heated by steam produced in the engine and circulated by means of four inch iron tubes running through all the carriages. The connection from carriage to carriage is maintained by telescope metal tubes with self acting valves attached, by which the condensed water escapes. The first-class carriages have two pipes for heating them, with slides to regulate the temperature at the will of the passengers, and the second-class carriages have only one regulator. At a recent experiment the external temperature was thirty-nine degrees, with a sharp north wind blowing, and inside the carriages the atmosphere was kept up to one hundred degrees on the outward trip, and to sixty-nine degrees on the return journey.

Writing of Rothermel's Gettysburg, George L. Brown, a Boston artist, says: During my twenty-four years' residence in France, Germany, England and Italy, I have never seen a battle piece (except those of Horace Vernet) having so much of the rush, intense excitement, tumultuous confusion, and frightful earnestness with which this grand scene electrifies one. My first impression, on seeing it from a distance, was that it was a great serpentine line of carnage and strife, surging like the sea, running through the center of the canvas. I saw nothing individually, but the whole *coup d'oeil* was a fearful embodiment of a battle. On a closer examination, all the horrid details of war are found minutely expressed—the dying and the wounded, the grouping, the faces and the limbs most wonderfully painted, and all so finely drawn and foreshortened. The heads are splendidly painted, and the expressions of the dying none but an artist could depict.

The New England manufacturers are again troubled by an insufficient supply of water, and are anticipating a serious interruption during the summer months. The snow and spring rains appear to have had very little effect upon the lower springs, and should the approaching summer be as dry as was the last, manufacturers will be obliged to depend entirely upon their steam power.

On the occasion of the eclipse of the sun in December last, the moon, when observed through the telescope, appeared a green color. During the eclipse of 1860, the lunar surface was brown. In connection with these facts the *English Mechanic* quotes the following remarkable statement concerning a change of the moon's color, made by Lambert, in the year 1774: "The moon, when it stood vertically over the Atlantic ocean, received upon its night side the green terrestrial light which is reflected toward her when the sky is clear, by the forest districts of South America."

The State Geologist of California says that from the top of Mount Diabolo the broadest and most magnificent view in the world can be obtained. Not that it is the highest elevation in the world, but it commands a wider unobstructed view than any other—any view from the Alps being no exception.

A man who attempted to commit suicide at Elmira explains the cause of the act by asserting that some seven or eight years ago, in May, at Corning, he was bitten by a dog, which he says was mad, and every year, between the 4th and 6th of May, he is visited by spells of insanity. For days he knows nothing as to his doings, and while under the influence of one of these crazy fits he attempted suicide the other day.

It is said that there have already been shipped this season from Norfolk, Virginia, more than 50,000 crates, or in the aggregate about 200,000 quarts of strawberries which is but a third of the estimated crop of the season. The present season is said to surpass any of its predecessors, both in abundance of yield and promise of duration as well as in the quality of the fruit. The eastern shore of Maryland, the Delaware and the New Jersey crops in turn succeed that of Virginia; and by that time our own, which is the best of all, is ready for the market. The Northern and slower grown fruits are always the best flavored.

Dr. John F. Morse, of California, assisted by S. F. Ostheim, of Oregon, have been introducing Odd Fellowship into Germany, by the authority of the Grand Lodge of the United States. Lodges have been established at Stuttgardt and Wurtemburg and at Berlin, and there are propositions for lodges at Bonn and Frankfort. The German Government at first regarded the order with suspicion, but Mr. Colfax obtained from Baron Gerolt, the Prussian Minister, a report which prompted Bismarck to remove all restrictions.

Some of the Massachusetts towns which voted recently on the question of local license are uncertain now whether they voted yes or no, and must call in the schoolmaster to parse their ballots. The town of Russell used the following form: "To see if the town will vote that no person be allowed to sell ale, porter, etc." The vote stood 17 yeas against 33 nays, and the moderator, decided that the town had prohibited the sale, but the decision is objected to, the Springfield *Republican* thinks, very properly.

It has come to light that the murderer Rulloff figured very prominently in the vicinity of Red Creek, Wayne county, New York, about fifteen years ago. He passed by the name of Boardman, and professed to be a German artist and linguist, and to have just come from Germany. He spoke German fluently, also several other languages, and during his stay his manners and accomplishments gave him the *entre* to the best society. He paid attention to the Preceptress of Red Creek Seminary, a lady who has since married a worthy man, and now lives a short distance outside of Oswego City. They were engaged to marry, and the wedding day was fixed. A day or two beforehand, however, Rulloff's wife and child appeared on the scene, and satisfying the people of their identity, broke up the preparations. Boardman, *alias* Rulloff, immediately left, and it was but a short time afterward that his wife and child disappeared so mysteriously. These statements, which have never before been made public, are given on competent authority.

It is stated that the Michigan Central and Great Western Railroad Companies have determined to take the first step in the construction of a tunnel under the river at Detroit, without the organization of a tunnel company. The work to be done this year is the construction of a tunnel of five feet interior diameter under the river channel from shore to shore, which will serve afterwards as a drainage tunnel. This will develop the character of the soil and aid materially in the construction of the large tunnels afterwards. It will be about half a mile long and will cost, the engineer estimates, about $80,000. The construction of this commits the companies to the completion of the work, unless the nature of the material should prove to be very unfavorable.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Lincoln, who returned from Europe with Gens. Sheridan and Forsyth, is described as looking well, still clad in mourning, and seems yet oppressed by the sad memory of her husband's death. She speaks of the peculiarities of her European experience, and says that wherever she has been she met with distinguished consideration as the widow of the martyred President of the United States. "Tad," who has been away at school at Frankfort-on-the-Main is now eighteen years old and speaks with a strong foreign accent.

Wilkes' *Spirit of the Times* says: Charles Wister, of Germantown, has a fine filly sired by Toronto Chief. He has also great faith in Forney. He has, therefore, claimed a name for his animal. And that name is "Halt." Charley avers that Forney's monosyllable enabled him to distance all competitors for the Collectorship, as his "Halt" shall, in time, dust all contestants on the turf. Wister is a philosopher of the fine old stamp.

Minister Washburne recently visited the Archbishop of Paris in prison and tendered his good offices in securing a modification of the rigors of his confinement. The Archbishop occupied a cell about ten feet square, containing a small iron bedstead, a table, one wooden chair and a small window; the covering of the bed was a horse blanket. Three books on the table, for the holy man to read, were the "History of the French Revolution." He expressed his thanks to Mr. Washburne in the most touching manner for the visit he had so kindly made.

Persecuted Organs.

The human stomach has been a shamefully persecuted organ. There was a time when for every dereliction of duty it was punished with huge doses of the most disgusting and nauseous drugs. In vain it rejected them, and literally returned them upon the hands of those who administered them. They were forced upon it again and again, until its solvent power was thoroughly drenched out of it.

The world is wiser now than it was in that drastic era, when furious purgation and mercurial salivation were what Artemas Ward would have called the "main holt" of the faculty, in cases of dyspepsia and liver complaint.

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WEST POINT EXAMINATION PAPERS.

For the benefit of those young gentlemen of military tastes who aspire to serve in the national army through the channel of the Military Academy, we publish the following extract from the last Annual Report of the Inspector of the Academy, which gives a list of the questions asked at the written examinations for admission last June. After a careful perusal of these questions we are no longer surprised at the large number of failures which so much astonished us at the time, but we are decidedly surprised that that unfortunate *bete noir*, Cadet Smith (colored), should have succeeded where so many failed:

Of the candidates who have reported for examination sixty-five have been admitted; seventy-four have been rejected by the examining board, and five have been found physically disqualified.

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It should be stated, in explanation of the unusual number of candidates rejected in the present year, that many of them were from the Southern States, where education was greatly deranged by the late war, and that, for the first time, written examinations in history, geography and grammar were resorted to as affording a fairer test of the candidate's abilities and a better opportunity to profit by the law of 1867, which raised the standard of admission. This expedient, prompted by experience and necessity, while it increased for the time being the ratio of preliminary rejections, will, it is not doubted, reduce the ratio of subsequent discharges for non-proficiency and incapacity; a result beneficial not only to the Government but to the individuals concerned.

With a view to diminish the numbers thus rejected, measures have been devised for the encouragement and extension of competitive examinations in congressional districts entitled to cadet appointments, and for the informal, though thorough, examination of candidates by their own instructors and physicians before leaving their homes.

The results of the late examination have with greater force than ever before, directed the attention of the academic authorities to the utterly superficial systems of education seemingly prevalent throughout the country. It is no longer unusual or surprising to find candidates, rejected at West Point for deficiency in the primary branches of a common school education, possessed of diplomas from reputable seats of learning attesting their proficiency in many kinds of knowledge. Though the requirements for admission are certainly not beyond the capacity of an ordinary pupil of the common schools old enough to receive a cadet appointment, it is doubtful whether a tithe of the vacancies at the Academy could be filled without one year's preparation for examination provided for by law. For the information of those interested in this subject, a list of the questions used in the late examinations in geography, history, and grammar which seventy-four candidates failed in part to answer, is here inserted:

GRAMMAR.

Parse the following sentences:

The star of military glory, rising like a meteors has set.

To succeed in life requires more exertion than most young men, now-a-days, desire to make.

State the different parts of speech in English grammar.

Define a noun, and the different kinds of nouns.

State all the attributes that belong to verbs.

Define a participle, and the different kinds of participles. Define the imperative mode, and write a sentence in which it is used. Correct the grammatical errors in the following sentences, and state the reasons for each correction:

He had a black and white horse, which were driven together.

It is not fit that such as us should engage therein.

These kind of actions did him great injury.

Each of them in their turn receive the benefit to which they are entitled.

He pursued the fugitive with a single soldier, but he, proving treacherous, deserted, and he escaped.

Between you and I, the doctor was wrong to let him set down on the grass.

The know how to write as well has him.

I have seen that picture a month ago.

The enemies who we have most to fear are those of our own hearts.

Take the two first and, if you please, the three last.

Richard acted very independent on the occasion.

State whether the following sentences be correct or false, and rectify errors where they occur:

The pleasures of the imagination, by Akenside, is a highly philosophical poem.

I laid in bed till eight.

He who strikes me I will forgive.

Few persons exert their ability to the utmost to all the good that lies in their power.

We found our friend's house on fire and he dying with fright.

I told you it was them.

I found him better than I expected to have found him.

I did not see nobody there.

If I was her I would reject him.

Hear him read his lesson.

We cannot be wise and good without taking pains for it.

(Time allowed, four hours.)

HISTORY.

State by what people, and at about what time, the following States were colonized:

Massachusetts, New York, Maryland, Virginia, Rhode Island, Georgia, Florida.

Name the principal generals of the Revolution and where they served.

State, respectively, in what American war, under what opposing generals, and at about what time the following battles were fought.

Bunker Hill, Buena Vista, Saratoga, Chancellorsville, New Orleans, Shiloh.

Name the principal battles of the war of 1812.

State the causes of the Mexican war, the places where the first and last battles were fought, and under what American generals.

State the principal naval engagements of the war of 1812.

What States joined in the act which gave rise to the late rebellion? Name the act.

State the principal events in the administration of Andrew Jackson.

Who was President of the convention to frame the Constitution of the United States?

State the principal events in the administration of James K. Polk.

During how many terms did each of the following Presidents serve?

John Adams, James Munroe, Martin Van Buren, James Buchanan.

What Presidents have died during their respective terms of office.

Time allowed, three hours.

GEOGRAPHY.

What are zones?

What are the zones on the earth's surface, and how are they limited?

What are the grand divisions on the earth's surface?

What is a sea? Where is the Black Sea?

What waters separate the British Isles from the Continent?

What is a cape? Where are capes Sable and St. Roque?

What cape lies at the south extremity of South America?

What is an isthmus? What isthmus unites Africa and Asia?

What river separates Kentucky from Ohio? Tennessee from Arkansas?

State the names of the principal rivers flowing into the Mississippi from the east? From the west?

Name the principal ranges of mountains in the United States?

What are the principal mountains east of the Mississippi?

What is a Strait? Where are the Straits of Mackinaw?

Bound the following States, and give the names of their capitals: New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Arkansas, California and Georgia.

Bound the following States and name and locate their capitals: Kansas, Ohio, Vermont, Louisiana.

What States border on Chesapeake Bay?

What States border on the Gulf of Mexico?

How would you go from Omaha to Pittsburgh by water, and what States do you pass on both sides?

Name the Territories of the United States.

Time allowed, three hours.

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Is one of the largest in the State, comprising over 6,000 Doors and a large amount of Sash, of all the different sizes and styles. We will warrant them to be of the Best Make and Seasoned Lumber. Prices vary from $2 50 to $3 50 per Door and Sash, 35c to $1 20 per Window, with liberal discount to the Trade. Would invite parties to call and examine for themselves or send for Circular. We can give information by mail the cost of these delivered to them in any quantity.

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TThs LUMBER DEALERS, East Liberty, Pa.

STRAWBERRIES,
Green Peas, Cabbage, New Potatoes, &c.,

Are now receiving daily from Southern markets via Connellsville route. Early Fruits and Vegetables for sale at Wholesale. Orders will receive prompt attention.

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Great Reduction in Prices.

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Spring Stock
OF
GAS FIXTURES,
CONSISTING OF
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Which for variety in style and elegant design, cannot be equalled by any other house West of the Mountains, now offering at

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Special attention given to
Gas Fitting and Plumbing
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

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Patent Low Pressure Self-Regulating
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Having purchased the entire interest of Edward Bourne & Bro., 45 MARKET STREET, I will continue to do all kinds of

Plumbing, Steam and Gas Fitting,
UPON THE MOST IMPROVED PRINCIPLES.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

NOTICE—

The Firm of EINSTEIN, CONNOLLY & CO., being dissolved by limitation, and retiring of JOS. EINSTEIN 1st inst., the undersigned will continue the business under same style, and at 271 Liberty street.

C. C. CONNOLLY,
LEOPOLD EINSTEIN.

Pittsburgh, May 1, 1871.

PROPOSALS.

TO CONTRACTORS.—PROPOSALS FOR the Graduation, Ballasting, Masonry and Bridging on ten and one half miles of the Salisbury and Baltimore Railroad, will be received at the Company's office, at Salisbury, up to 3 p. m. of the 22d day of MAY, 1871. Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Company's Office, or at Ek P. O., Somerset county, Pa.

J. T. WILSON,
Engineer and Superintendent.

May 7, 1871

IRON FOR LANDING PIER

NEAR LEWES, DELAWARE.

U. S. ENGINEER'S OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA, PA.,
No. 1,330 CHESTNUT STREET, May 6, 1871.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, of the form furnished by this office, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. MONDAY, the 12th DAY OF JUNE, 1871, for the supply of Wrought and Cast Iron for the Pier at Lewes, or at the Wilks ... [illegible]

The Iron will be required for the Pier about One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Pounds of Rolled and Hammered Iron, and about Three Hundred and Forty Thousand Pounds of Cast Iron. ... about 600,000 pounds of Wrought Iron, and about 140,000 pounds of Cast Iron.

Specifications and Drawings can be seen at this Office, where blank forms of Proposals will be furnished ... [illegible]

J. D. KURTZ, Lt. Col. of Eng'rs.

TO IRON MANUFACTURERS.

Proposals for the Iron Work of a Second Order Light House to be erected on Bolivar Point, Texas, entrance to Galveston Bay.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE LIGHT HOUSE BOARD,
Washington, May 1, 1871.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 1 o'clock of FRIDAY, the 19th day of MAY, 1871, from iron manufacturers, for the iron work of a Second Order Light House ... [illegible]

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GEORGE H. ELLIOT,
Major of Engineers, U. S. A.,
Engineer Secretary.

TO CONTRACTORS.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY'S OFFICE,
Pittsburgh, Pa., April 25, 1871.

PROPOSALS will be received until May 15th for the Graduation and Masonry of the first twenty miles of the Bennett's Branch Extension of the Allegheny Valley Railroad ... [illegible] Redbank ... [illegible] Railroad Company.

JOHN A. WILSON,
Chief Engineer.

These Are the Leading Prices
AT
EVANS'

10c.	25c.	50c.	75c.	$1 00	$1 50
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DEPARTMENT STORE,
NO. 59 FIFTH AVENUE,
MASONIC HALL BUILDING.

LANE BROS.,

(Successors to R. Wolf, Jr. & Co.,)
Cor. Liberty and Sixth Sts.,
(LATE ST. CLAIR STREET,)
PITTSBURGH, PA.

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HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,
&c., &c., &c.

Our entire stock of Old Hardware, saved from the fire, has been replaced by new offerings, ... one of the largest and best selected Stocks of

General Hardware
AND
SHELF GOODS,
TO BE HAD IN THIS CITY.

Special Inducements offered to the Country Trade. MTHS

OFFICE OF TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
Pittsburgh, April 1, 1871.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE TWENTY-FIRST Section of an Act relating to Allegheny county, approved the 2d day of May, 1861, and of the amendment to the said section, approved the 30th day of March, 1866, I do hereby give notice that I am ready to receive the taxes ... [illegible] open, and ... [illegible]

County, State, Poor and Work House Taxes for 1871,

On and after the 1st day of May, 1871.

Said Taxes can be paid at this Office until the 1st DAY OF AUGUST, with a

DEDUCTION OF FIVE PER CENT.

For prompt payment ... [illegible] amount of ... [illegible]

There will be no deduction allowed during the month of August. There will be

TEN PER CENT. ADDED

To all Taxes remaining unpaid on the 1st day of September, 1871.

J. F. DENNISTON,
Treasurer of Allegheny County.

FELT. THE BEST, CHEAPEST, and MOST DURABLE covering known, for sale by the Original Manufacturers ... [illegible] 46 Courtland street, New York. MWS

CLOTHING.

GREAT BARGAINS
AT NO. 40 SIXTH STREET,
LATE ST. CLAIR, CORNER OF PENN.

Having Reduced Our Entire Stock of READY MADE CLOTHING

Upwards of 25 per cent. in order to make room for Spring Goods, we respectfully invite our friends and the public in general to call and examine our Stock before purchasing elsewhere. Our stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS being large, we are prepared to make an equal reduction to those who may favor us with a call. Having a full and complete line of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS we offer them at remarkably low prices. Call and examine at No. 40 SIXTH STREET.

STRAW & TUTELL.

Boys go to GRAY & LOGAN'S;
Youths go to GRAY & LOGAN'S;
Children go to GRAY & LOGAN'S;
Men go to GRAY & LOGAN'S
Because they find there the
Best Clothing at Moderate Prices.
47 SIXTH STREET.

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Tradesmen's National Bank,
WOOD STREET, CORNER SECOND.

INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS.

AGENTS FOR
New Government Loan.

SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS NOW OPEN.

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Particular attention paid to the purchase and sale of Government Bonds.

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The TRUTH should tell and everybody should tell the TRUTH. But they don't. The PRICE will tell, and everybody should tell our PRICE and they DO. Fair dealing is sure to build up a LARGE BUSINESS, and it DOES.

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WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Old Rye Whisky,
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
WINES, GINS, BRANDIES, TOBACCO AND SEGARS,
No. 166 Wood Street, corner Sixth Ave.,
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85 MARKET STREET,
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No. 79 FEDERAL STREET,
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NEWEST STYLES OF WORK CONSTANTLY ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER. All work warranted to give satisfaction in every particular. REPAIRING Neatly and Promptly Executed.

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Who will continue the Commission Business at the last named place.

DRY GOODS.

MANY GOOD
BARGAINS
AT
WILLIAM SEMPLE'S
NEW STORE.

25c. Dark Gray Mixed Poplins, slightly imperfect—a great bargain.
12½c. Wash Poplins—all colors.
12½c. New Spring Delaines.
25c. Plain and Corded Alpacas—all colors.
25c. Plain, Black and Striped Grenadines.
25c. Plain and Plaid Japanese Poplins.
75c. Gray Japanese Silks.
$1 25. American Gros Grain Silks.
6¼c. Fast Colored Calicoes.
10c. Good 4-4 Bleached Muslins.
12½c. 4-4 Bleached Muslins, an extra bargain.
18¾c. 4-4 Feather Ticking.
35c. 6-4 Table Linen.

DRESS GOODS.

In all the Latest Fabrics and Colors.

Black and Colored Dress Silks.
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Black and Colored Alpaca Lustres.
Silk Poplins and Fancy Mixed Goods.
A new lot of Poplin Plaids.
Lawns, Percales, Chintzes and Fine Ginghams
White Goods.
Plain and Striped Chambrays and P K's.

At the Very Lowest Prices,
AT
WM. SEMPLE'S
Nos. 165, 167 and 169
Federal Street, Allegheny.

PLAIN, STRIPED
AND
PLAID
JAPANESE
SILKS.

BLUE, GREEN,
BROWN AND BLACK
VELVETEENS.

Hosiery, Gloves,
AND
NOTIONS.

McElroy & Dickson,
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SUITS, SUITS
Lawn Suits,
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Moorhouse and Carsten
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We take pleasure in announcing that we are receiving a Full and Choice Line of

LAWN AND LINEN SUITS,
AT VERY LOW PRICES.

ALL NEW STYLES
IN
Lama Lace Sacques,
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Lama Lace Overdress.

A FRESH ARRIVAL
OF
Spring Shawls,

BLACK SILKS,
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IN BLACK AND WHITE
LACE CURTAINS and NETS
Silk Mantles,
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AT LOW PRICES.

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FRENCH PLATE GLASS
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PICTURE FRAMES, MOULDINGS, &c
FRENCH GLASS
FOR DWELLING HOUSES.

No. 58 FIFTH AVENUE,
WS PITTSBURGH, PA.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY cautioned against Negotiating, Buying, Selling, Holding, Passing or Exchanging all Promissory Notes made and dated 6th September, to the order of Captain W. H. TIMBLIN, and signed by J. B. FINLEY. Notes have already heretofore been fully paid by their maker, and will be paid ... [illegible]

J. B. FINLEY.

Housekeeping Dry Goods.

Sheeting Muslins—all widths.
White and Colored Table Damasks.
Table Covers, Mats, Napkins, Towelings.
Curtain Laces, Bed Quilts, &c.

BLACK LACE POINTS.

Grenadine Shawls.
Black, White and Colored Shetland Shawls.
At 40c. Men's Calico Shirts.
50c. Ladies' Summer Shawls.
$2. All-wool Spring Shawls.
65c. Light Gored Skirts—printed border.
50c. Ladies' White Skirts.

Parasols and Sun Umbrellas,
THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN
MILLINERY GOODS.

Infants' Embroidered Waists and Robes.
Lace and Embroidered Edgings and Insertings.
Fringes, Pique Trimmings and White Gimps.
Ladies' Corsets and Undergarments.
Gent's Chints and White Shirts.
Neck Ties, &c.

AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES,
Wholesale and Retail,
AT
WM. SEMPLE'S
Nos. 165, 167 and 169
Federal Street, Allegheny.

The People's Store,
MASONIC HALL BUILDING.

Campbell, Williamson & Dick,

ARE RECEIVING DAILY FROM THE EASTERN MARKETS FRESH ARRIVALS OF
NEW GOODS,
FOR THE SUMMER TRADE,
WHICH THEY CONTINUE TO OFFER TO THE PUBLIC AT LOWEST PRICES.

They invite inspection, and can positively assure their patrons that their GOODS ARE RELIABLE and THE PRICES RIGHT, believing that their system of ONE PRICE (the lowest) is not only the best, but by far the cheapest way to trade.

Below is a partial List of Departments, giving a general idea of their Stock:

Shawls, Cloaks,	Woolens,
Velvets, Velveteens,	Small Wares,
Black Silks,	Trimmings,
Colored Silks,	Serge Plaids,
Lyons Poplins,	Alpaca Plaids,
Fancy Poplins,	Japanese Silks,
Mottled Poplins,	Pique and
Costume Cloth,	White Goods,
Sun Shades,	Lawns and Percales,
Embroideries, Laces,	Colored Alpaca,
Fancy Stripes,	Ginghams, Napery,
Japanese Silks,	Flannels, Ribbons,
Summer Silks,	Notions,
Hosiery and Gloves,	Ladies' Shirts,
Calicoes, Linens,	Handkerchiefs,
Aprons, &c., &c.	

TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.

In the Basement we are now showing a large Line of SEASONABLE GOODS, at Eastern Quotations.

Campbell, Williamson & Dick,
(MASONIC HALL BUILDING,)
55 and 57 FIFTH AVENUE,
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At Wholesale Only
77 and 79 MARKET ST.

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HAVE JUST OPENED AN EXTRA LARGE LINE

Hamburg Embroideries
GUIPURE BANDS,
WHITE GOODS,

NAINSOOKS, Striped, Plain and Barred.
ORGANDIE SWISS, SWISS MULLS.
SOFT FINISH CAMBRICS,
VICTORIA LAWNS,
STRIPED AND FIGURED PIQUES,
WELTS AND YOSEMITE STRIPES,
COTTON TRIMMINGS AND FRINGES,
LACE COLLARS,
REAL AND IMITATION LACE GOODS,
LACES of all kinds.

Real Guipure Laces,
AT VERY LOW PRICES.

CORSETS, NEW HOOP SKIRTS,
BALMORAL and BOULEVARDE SKIRTS,
WHITE SKIRTS, in great variety at Bargain Prices.

ALSO, EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENTS ENGLISH, GERMAN AND DOMESTIC

HOSIERY,
FOR GENTS, LADIES AND CHILDREN, AT LOWEST PRICES.

DOMESTIC HOSIERY, at Manufacturers' Prices.
LADIES' KID GLOVES, a new line just in.
BLACK DRESS SILKS,
SUMMER SILKS,
SILK REPS AND CORDED SATINS,
Men's Palm, Mackanaw and Braid HATS.

Millinery and Straw Goods,
FULL LINES OPENING DAILY.
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SILKS, SILKS,
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FULL LINES OF BONNET AND PONSON'S CELEBRATED
Black Silks.

Good Medium Black French Silks, from $ to $2 per yard.
Cheney Bro.'s American Black Silk, $2 per yard.
Fancy Dress Silks in Stripes, Checks and Plain Colors—a complete assortment.
Japanese Silks, all qualities.
Irish and French Poplins, Mohair Lustres.
Brilliantees, Tamese, Bombazines.
Wool Delaines.
Spring Empress Cloths.
Black Grenadine and Hernani.
All New Designs in Spring Dress Goods.
New Spring Shawls.
Silk Sacques and Basques.
Ladies' Suits.
Nottingham and Tamboured Lace Curtains.
Chintzes, Prints and Ginghams.

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The Duquesne Cook Stove
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1. It NEVER Fails to Bake and Roast satisfactorily.
2. It is very ECONOMICAL in Fuel.
3. It has a LARGER OVEN than any other Stove.
4. It is VERY HEAVY and will last a lifetime.
5. It COSTS LESS for REPAIRS than any other Stove.
6. It has a patent BAKE AND PAN and is entirely anti-...
7. It PLEASES every person who has it in use.

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West Penn Department,
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Citizen's Insurance Company,
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Office—Corner Market and Water streets, Second Floor.
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Insures Steamboats and Cargoes. Insures against loss and damage in the navigation of the Southern and Western Rivers, Lakes and Bayous, and the navigation of the Sea.

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PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD—After DECEMBER 4, 1870, Trains arrive and depart as follows:

EASTWARD. Through Trains Leave Union Depot.		WESTWARD. Through Trains Arrive at Union Depot.	
Pacific Express	2:20 a m	Mail Train	1:00 a m
Southern Ex	4:20 a m	Fast Line	1:20 a m
Mail Train	8:10 a m	Cincinnati Ex	9:30 a m
*Cincinnati Ex	12:50 p m	Pittsburgh Ex	3:05 p m
Philadel'a Ex	3:20 p m	*Pacific Ex	10:10 a m
Fast Line	8:00 p m	*Way Passenger	10:20 p m
LOCAL.		LOCAL.	
Walls No. 1	6:30 a m	Walls No. 1	6:20 a m
Brinton Accom. No. 1	10:20 a m	Brinton Accom. No. 1	7:50 a m
Walls No. 2	11:51 a m	Walls No. 2	5:50 a m
Walls No. 3	6:05 p m	Johnstown Ac	9:30 a m
Johnstown Ac	4:05 p m	Walls No. 3	2:20 p m
Walls Accomm. No. 3	3:05 p m	Braddock's Ac. No. 1	7:15 p m
Walls No. 4	11:00 p m	Brinton No. 2	1:20 p m
Wilkinsburg Ac	5:50 p m	Walls Accomm. No. 4	5:50 p m
Braddock's Ac. No. 1	4:50 p m	Wilkinsburg Ac	10:00 p m

Pacific Express leaves daily except Monday. Cincinnati Express and Southern Express leave daily. All other Trains daily, Sunday excepted.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:02 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 9:50 a. m. Returning leave Pittsburgh at 1:05 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:25 p. m.

Sunday Brinton Accommodation leaves Pittsburgh at 8:50 p. m., and arrives at Brinton at 9:50 p. m.

For further particulars apply to
W. B. STOREY, Agent.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will not assume any Risk for Baggage except for Wearing Apparel, and limit their responsibility to One Hundred Dollars in value. All baggage exceeding that amount in value will be at the risk of the owner, unless taken by special contract.

A. J. CASSATT,
General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after DECEMBER 18, 1870, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will leave from and arrive at the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows, (Allegheny Time):

Arrive.		Depart.	
Springdale No. 1	6:40 a m	Mail	7:00 a m
Freeport No. 1	8:20 a m	Freeport No. 1	9:30 a m
Express	10:20 a m	Claremont Ac	11:00 a m
Claremont Ac	12:50 p m	Express	2:45 p m
Freeport No. 2	3:40 p m	Springdale No. 1	3:10 p m
Mail	5:40 p m	Freeport No. 2	4:40 p m
Springdale No. 2	6:00 p m	Springdale No. 2	6:15 p m

The above Trains run daily except Sunday. The Church Train leaves Freeport every Sunday at 8:10 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 A. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 12:50 P.M., and arrives at Freeport at 2:50 P. M.

For Further information apply to
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Local Tickets to all important Stations on the main line of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

A. J. CASSATT,
General Superintendent, Altoona, Pa.
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Superintendent, Blairsville.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY COMPANY, PAN-HANDLE ROUTE.

On and after SUNDAY, March 12th, 1871, Trains will depart from and arrive at Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, City Time:

DEPARTS.		ARRIVES.	
Fast Line	1:43 a m	Southern Ex	3:58 a m
Dennison Ac	7:13 a m	McDonald Ac	9:03 a m
Pacific Express	11:03 a m	Steubenville Ac	11:53 a m
McDonald Ac	11:43 a m	Cincinnati Exp	12:28 p m
Southern Ex	3:28 p m	McDonald Ac	4:13 p m
Steubenville Ac	3:33 p m	Dennison Ac	6:13 p m
McDonald Ac	5:13 p m	Fast Line	7:08 p m
Sunday Ch train	[illegible]	Sunday Ch train	9:58 a m

The 11:03 a. m. Pacific Express will leave daily. The 12:28 p. m. Cincinnati Express will arrive daily. All other trains will run daily, except Sunday.

Trains on Chartiers Railroad will leave Mansfield on the arrival of Dennison Accommodation, leaving Pittsburgh at 7:13 a. m., and Steubenville Accommodation, leaving Pittsburgh at 3:33 p. m. Returning, will connect at Mansfield with Steubenville Accommodation, due in Pittsburgh at 9:58 a. m., and McDonald Accommodation due in Pittsburgh at 4:13 p. m.

J. N. McCULLOUGH, Gen'l Manager.
F. R. MYERS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.
NEW LINE TO BUFFALO THROUGH THE OIL REGIONS.

On and after MONDAY, December 5, 1870, Three Through Trains Daily, (except Sunday,) will leave and arrive at Union Depot for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo and all points in the Oil Regions.

	Leaves.	Arrives.
Day Express	7:20 a m	9:00 p m
Night Express	7:40 p m	6:25 a m
Way Passenger	9:35 a m	[illegible]
Mail Train	[illegible]	5:50 p m
Brady's Bend Accommodat'n	3:05 p m	10:20 a m
Soda Works	6:10 p m	8:20 a m
1st Hulton	6:10 p m	6:50 a m
2d Hulton	4:30 p m	9:50 a m
3d Hulton	11:00 p m	2:20 p m
Parnassus	11:40 a m	5:20 p m

Church Train to and from Hulton Sundays, arrives at Pittsburgh at 10:10 A. M., and leaves at 1:00 P. M. Express Trains stop only at principal points. Accommodation Trains stop at all Stations.

Pullman's Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on Night Express Trains, both ways, between Pittsburgh and Corry.

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PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY, AND CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

From DECEMBER 4th, 1870, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:48 a m	Fast Line	2:08 a m
Cle & Whg Mail	6:58 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:23 a m
Erie & Fr Ex	7:13 a m	Pacific Ex	12:23 p m
Chicago Mail	7:23 a m	Chicago Mail	3:58 p m
Chicago Exp	11:08 a m	Cleveland Ex	4:13 p m
Clev and Whg Ex	2:23 p m	Chi&Cl Exp	4:13 p m
Pacific Express	3:23 p m	Erie and Fr Ex	6:43 p m
Wellsville Ac	3:23 p m	Clevand Whg Ex	6:58 p m
Erie Express	4:48 p m	Erie Ex	11:18 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac	6:58 a m	Leetsdale Ac	6:58 a m
Leetsdale Ac	10:23 a m	Beaver Falls Ac	8:08 a m
Leetsdale Ac	11:53 a m	Enon Ac	8:58 a m
New Castle Ac	2:23 p m	New Castle Ac	10:23 a m
Enon Ac	4:53 p m	Leetsdale Ac	1:23 p m
Leetsdale Ac	5:13 p m	Beaver Falls Ac	4:33 p m
Beaver Falls Ac	5:13 p m	Leetsdale Ac	5:53 p m
Leetsdale Ac	10:43 p m	Leetsdale Ac	7:33 p m
Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	1:13 p m	Fair Oaks, Sunday Church	9:58 a m

Chicago Express leaves daily.
Pacific Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted.
Fast Line arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

J. N. McCULLOUGH,
General Manager.
F. R. MYERS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.—CHANGE OF TIME.—On and after MONDAY, May 15th, 1871, trains will arrive at and depart from Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh, as follows—city time:

Leave.		Arrive.	
Baltimore Exp's	6:10 a m	1st McKeesport Accommoda'n	6:40 a m
Mail Train	6:50 a m	2d McKeesport Accommoda'n	8:40 a m
Mixed Way Ac	9:20 a m	West Newton Ac	8:40 a m
1st McKeesport Accommodat'n	11:00 a m	Pittsburgh and Connellsv'le Ac	10:10 a m
Pittsburgh and Connellsv'le Ac	3:15 p m	Cincinnati Ex	12:10 p m
West Newton Ac	4:30 p m	3d McKeesport Accommoda'n	2:10 p m
Braddocks Ac	5:30 p m	Mixed Way Ac	5:30 p m
2d McKeesport Accommodat'n	6:20 p m	Braddocks Ac	7:00 p m
3d McKeesport Accommodat'n	10:40 p m	West Newton Church Tr'n*	10:10 a m
West Newton Church Tr'n*	12:50 p m		

†Daily. *Sundays only. All other Trains daily except Sunday.

NOTE.—The Cincinnati and Baltimore Express, Mail, and Pittsburgh and Connellsville Accommodation east and west, will connect at Broad Ford and Connellsville with trains for Mt. Pleasant and Uniontown.

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FINANCE AND TRADE

FRIDAY EVENING, May 12, 1871.

There is nothing to disturb the even tenor of local monetary affairs, except some inconvenience experienced by a slight scarcity of currency. The plethora of National bank bills at New York, where they are some days at a discount from ⅛ to ¼ could be speedily remedied by shipping the surplus West, which could be done for much less than the discount. But a scarcity is of such brief duration that there is not sufficient time given to apply any remedy before the natural course of trade will bring about a relief by the return from country banks and other points.

—The New York *Post* of yesterday says: The money market there is without noticeable change, the supply being in excess of the demand. National bank notes are to-day at a discount of ⅛@¼ of 1 ⅌ cent. The bonds bought by the Treasury yesterday were paid for in this kind of currency, and that, too, in the smaller denominations. It has been suggested that the Treasury should pay for bonds in gold direct, advertising promptly of course that the offers to sell should be made on a gold basis. This would very much simplify the matter. At present sellers of bonds, in addition to their other calculations, have to take into account the uncertain rates at which they can dispose of their currency, which rates vary from day to day. Commercial paper is in quick request, and passes at 5½@6 ⅌ cent.

Government bonds are barely steady to-day, and the dealings in them are restricted, owing to the uncertainty in regard to the Treasury policy in the matter of bond purchases. Southern State bonds were strong and active at the first Board. The features were Tennessees, Georgias, Missouris, North Carolinas and new South Carolinas. The last named are favorably affected by the advices from the state in regard to the taxpayers' convention. Railroad bonds were also active and strong. Union Pacific gold bonds advanced to 94½, the Land grants to 84½, and the Incomes to 86½. Central Pacifics sold at 102@102¼. City bank stocks were dull.

The Chicago *Tribune* notices a singular point in the last statement of the banks of that city, which might be remarked of the statements of banks in other cities: "If we may trust the statements of the seventeen National Banks of this city, published yesterday, a curious feature in connection with the paper money of this country is being developed, being nothing more nor less than the disappearance of National Bank notes from circulation. We say disappearance from circulation, because whatever kind of money is in circulation is supposed to get into the banks, and yet the statements of the National Banks of this city, published yesterday, show that, in the aggregate they held $4,623,121 of legal-tender notes, and only $608,771 of National Bank notes. This disproportion is not extremely unusual at this season of the year, as, by reference to the statements made in the month of June of last year, we find nearly the same disproportion. On the afternoon of April 29 it was necessary that the banks should have nearly $4,000,000 of legal tender notes to make their legal reserves good. It so happened that they had but $5,231,292 of both National Bank notes and legal tenders. In this connection it has been suggested that, on Saturdays—which are the days generally selected by the Comptroller for a statement—the cash is counted at a later hour than usual, and, in the late afternoon light, the visual rays enter the eye of the teller at a peculiar angle, which, probably, makes it difficult to distinguish between the green of a greenback and the green of a National Bank note, so that when a bank cashier gets through counting greenbacks for his reserve on Saturday nights, his eyes have acquired a peculiar squint, as much as to say, "Do you see anything green here?"

If the above explanation does not entirely cover the case, the only other one to be given is that the banks have sifted the greenbacks out of their funds as clean as the fanning mill takes the chaff out of wheat, and have kindly loaned the National Bank notes to their New York correspondents at 4 per cent. per annum, which National Bank notes the said New York correspondents are now endeavoring to loan at ¼ of 1 per cent. less than nothing to any one who will promise to pay in greenbacks. Meanwhile the Chicago banker may place his thumb upon the end of his nose, and giving the four digits a gentle gyratory sweep around toward the Atlantic seaboard, may ask the bankers of that country: "How does it work to pay 4 per cent. interest on deposits?"

There is, however, still another cause of the plethora of National Bank notes in the east, and that is that the late payments of the Treasury for the purchase of five-twenty bonds have been made entirely in National Bank notes. The National Bank notes are, in fact, as much legal tender money as United States Treasury notes. Both are legal tender for all payments, except duties on imports and interest on the public debt, and until there is some move toward redemptions in specie, the twenty-five per cent. reserve of the bank might, for all practical purposes, as well consist of National Bank notes as United States notes, only that the National currency act specifies that the reserve shall be in United States notes.

—Messrs. Ira B. McVay & Co. report the following quotations of Government bonds in New York to-day, as furnished them by Jay Cooke & Co., their correspondents:

	Morning.	Clos'g.
U. S. Bonds of 1881	116⅞	117
U. S. Bonds of 1862	110⅞	111
U. S. Bonds of 1864	110⅞	111
U. S. Bonds of 1865	110⅞	111
U. S. Bonds of 1865 (new)	113⅛	113¼
U. S. Bonds of 1867	113⅛	113¼
U. S. Bonds of 1868	113⅛	113¼
10-40s	109⅜	109⅜
Gold	111⅛	111¼

James T. Brady & Co., corner of Fourth avenue and Wood street, quote United States securities in New York to-day as follows:

Gold	111¼
United States 6s of 1881	117
United States 5-20s of 1862	111
United States 5-20s of 1864	111
United States 5-20s of 1865	111
United States 10-40s	109⅜
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1865	113¼
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1867	113¼
United States 5-20s, January and July, 1868	113¼
Union Pacific Railroad	93½
Central Pacific Railroad	102
Currency Pacifics	115⅝

—The following table, made up from dispatches received at J. W. Kennedy's Stock Rooms, Apollo building, No. 80 Fourth avenue, shows the prices of Railway Stocks, Gold, etc., at the various sessions of the New York Stock Exchange during the day:

May 12, 1871.	10:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:30 P. M.	1:30 P. M.	2:30 P. M.	4:30 P. M.
N. Y. C. & H.	98¼	98⅝	98¼	96⅞	98¼	98⅜
Do. Scrip	94	94	94	93⅞	94	93⅞
Erie	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	25	25⅝	25⅝
Reading	113⅝	113¾	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝
Harlem	....	129⅛	....	129	....	....
Mich. Cent.	....	123⅛	....	123	....	....
Lake Shore	109⅝	109	108⅞	108⅞	109⅛	109
Illinois Cent.	....	135⅛	....	....	....	....
Cleve. & Pitts.	127⅛	127⅛	128	127⅛	127⅛	126⅞
C. & N. W.	84¾	84⅝	84⅝	84¾	84⅝	84¾
Do. pref.	97	97	97	97⅛	97⅛	97
Rock Island	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
St. Paul	62	62⅜	....	62⅜	62⅜	....
Do. pref.	81⅛	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
Tol. & Wabash	....	64⅝	....	62⅜	....	....
Do. pref.	....	80⅛	....	80	....	....
Fort Wayne	....	99⅛	....	99⅛	....	....
Ohio & Miss.	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛
Chic. & Alton	....	118¼	....	118⅛	....	....
Do. pref.	....	119¼	....	119⅛	....	....
B. H. & Erie	....	2½	....	2⅝	....	....
N. J. Central	....	107⅝	....	107⅜	....	....
Canton	....	83	....	82¼	....	....
W. U. Tel.	60⅛	60½	....	60½	....	....
Quicksilver	....	12	....	11½	....	....
Pacific Mail	45⅜	45⅝	45⅝	45¾	45⅝	....
Adams Ex.	....	81	....	81	....	....
Wells-F. Ex.	....	44⅜	....	45	....	....
American Ex.	....	56	....	55⅝	....	....
U. S. Ex.	....	55⅛	....	55⅛	....	....
Gold	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼

—Messrs. Bowen & Fox, brokers and members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, furnish the following quotations of the closing prices to-day of the most active stocks:

Pennsylvania Central	61¼
Philadelphia and Erie	28
Lehigh Navigation	35½
Catawissa preferred	47
Oil Creek and Allegheny Railroad	51⅞
Lehigh Valley Railroad	61⅞
North Pennsylvania Railroad	47¼
Camden and Amboy Railroad	119
Schuylkill Navigation	18
Reading	56⅞

—The Philadelphia *Express* of yesterday says: The stock market resumed its activity this morning and prices opened at an advance upon the close, and this buoyancy was of but short existence, for soon after the opening the rise was checked, and soon the market broke in the speculative line, while the investment list became dull. In Pennsylvania and Reading shares the existence of certain rumors in regard to the roads leasing the Camden and Amboy, giving each favorable chances, has for the last few days had the effect of making a demand for them, upon which price was forced up; but to-day, when it became known that a board of directors favorable to the Pennsylvania had been elected, Reading became depressed and at the same time the fact of the latter road evidently outbidding the former caused Pennsylvania to decline under the apprehension of a possible disappointment.

—JAMES W. KENNEDY, Broker, No. 80 Fourth avenue, (Apollo Building), dealer in Government, State and Municipal Bonds; Railroad, Bank, Insurance and Miscellaneous Stocks. Represented daily at the New York Stock Exchange, he buys and sells stocks on a margin for the same commission and on the same terms as the New York brokers. Money to loan in sums of $500 and upwards on collateral or well indorsed promissory notes, or on mortgages on city or Allegheny county real estate.

PITTSBURGH HIDE AND LEATHER MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
FRIDAY, May 12, 1871.

The following are the prices ruling in this market, reported from actual sales by wholesale dealers:

LEATHER.

Oak sole, light and middle	35@40c	Oak harness, best city	39@41c
Oak sole, heavy	38@41c	Oak harness, country	36@38c
Oak sole, Spanish	39@41c	Bridle, fair, ⅌ doz	$55@60
Oak, slaughter in rough	32@34c	Band leather, ⅌ lb	43@44c
Red sole B A mid	32@33c	Hand leather, ⅌ lb	38@42c
Red sole B A heavy	33@35c	Waxed calf	$1 25@1 55
Red sole Orinoco	31@32c	Wax kip	65c@$1 10
Shoe skirting	42@43c	Wax'd uppper, ⅌ ft	25@27c
Saddler's skirting	43@45c	No. 1 pad skins, ⅌ doz	$5 25@5 50
Black bridle, ⅌ doz	$55@60		

HIDES.

Green salted, all weights	10½@11¼c	Green salt calf	18 @20 c
Green butchers' hides, cow & steer	7 @8 c	Green butch's do.	14 @16 c
Green salt kip	14 @15 c	Dry flint hides, nominal	20 @22 c

OIL AND TALLOW.

Pure Labrador Straits, ⅌ gal	75c	Bank Oil	65c
Straits, best	70c	Tallow	8½@9c

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, May 12.—Tobacco very active; sales 188 hhds lugs at $4 25@6 60; low leaf to mahogany wrappers $6 50@6 75. Cotton firm and unchanged; middling 14c. Flour firm and good demand; extra family held at $6 25@6 75. Grain quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm at $1 40@1 50. Corn—shelled 68c. Rye $1 05. Oats 65c, including sacks. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky quiet at 88c.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
FRIDAY, May 12, 1871.

REMARKS.—Brevity shall be our motto to-day. Really we have nothing new to give the reader. Prices are firm and unchanged at present quotations with a heavy and increasing demand for all leading articles reported. In fact, business in all its branches, was never so brisk as it now is. All leading articles are held in good supply, and wholesale dealers are at all times prepared to meet the calls of customers. The weather is pleasant, and the rivers, though in fair boating order, are receding.

The following are the wholseale rates unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—We quote choice at $6 50; common $4 50 ⅌ bbl. Receipts 178 bbbls.

APPLE BUTTER—Gallon buckets ⅌ dozen $10 50; kegs and firkins 70@80c ⅌ gal.

ASHES—Sales Soda Ash, refined, 55 ⅌ cent., at 3¾@4c; common 48 ⅌ cent., at 3¼c; Potash 7@7½c; Pearls 9@9½c ⅌ lb.

BUTTER—Receipts in excess of the demand; prices 15@20c ⅌ lb; extra choice 22c; inferior 10c. Receipts 60 packages.

BROOM CORN—There is an active demand; sales red 4@5c; green 5@6c; husk 6@7c ⅌ lb.

BEANS—We report the market quiet, with regular sales of small navy at $1 50@2 ⅌ bush.

BEESWAX—The market is more active, but a shade lower. We quote at 28@30c ⅌ lb.

BAKING POWDER—Banner ¼-lb cans, ⅌ doz, $1 75; ½-lb cans, $3 25; 1-lb cans, $6; 5-lb cans, $30.

BACON AND PROVISIONS—We quote as follows: Plain shoulders 8@8½c; Sugar Cured do 9½@10c; Canvased do. 10½c; Ribbed Sides, 10c; Clear do. 11c; Breakfast Bacon 14@14½c; Sugar Cured Hams 15c; Canvassed do. 15½c; Dried Beef 19@19½c; Lard, prime kettle rendered in tierces, 11½c, buckets 12½c, kegs, 13½; Country Lard 11@12c. Mess Pork $20 00.

COUNTRY BACON AND LARD—The amount of country cured bacon in market is large, and the demand dull. Holders are anxious to realize, but purchasers will not take hold except at low figures. We hear of sales of this class of meats as low as 6@6½c for shoulders, 7½@8½c for ribbed and clear sides, and 11@12c for hams. There is also a large supply of country lard held by leading houses, which is dull sale, and cannot be quoted at anything above 9½@10c.

CONCENTRATED LYE—There is a better demand, with sales at $6 00@6 50 for Pennsylvania, and $5 50 for Philadelphia.

CORN MEAL—Market dull and nominal; we quote $3 25 ⅌ bbl; ⅌ bushel 90@95c.

CANDLES—Mould 12c; Star, full weight, 19c; short weight 17c; stearine 19½c ⅌ lb.

COAL—The approach of warm weather has its effect upon the volume of coal consumed, though as yet it does not affect prices. We quote anthracite, car load, at $10@10 50 ⅌ ton.

CRANBERRIES—The market is not well suppied; we quote at $12@15 ⅌ bbl.

CARBON OIL—There is a fair demand at 21@22c for standard brands.

CEMENT—Louisville Hydraulic $2 50@2 75 ⅌ bbl. Beeson's Phœnix Hydraulic, $3 50@3 75 ⅌ bbl.

EGGS—Receipts not quite so heavy and prices remain firm, at 14@15c ⅌ dozen.

FEATHERS—The tendency of prices is upward. We are reported sales of live geese, No. 1, first hands, at 74@75c; store 80c ⅌ lb.

FLOUR—Mills and stores are well supplied and held firmly at quotations, which are as follows: Pan Handle (Southern amber) in barrels $7 20; in sacks $6 90; Palmetto, in barrels, $7 10; in sacks $6 80. The leading operators report sales of store and western brands: Choice spring wheat, $6 75@7 00; winter wheat, $6 75@7 00; white wheat, $7 25; choice Minnesota $7 25; sales at 25c less. Receipts 83 bbls.

GRAIN—The receipts for the past forty-eight hours foot up as follows;

Oats, sacks	1,557	Rye, sacks	268
Wheat, sacks	1,353	Corn, sacks	564
Total			3,742

The following are the ruling figures: Red winter $1 40@1 45; white $1 50@1 55. Oats have advanced; sales on wharf and from track at 58@60c; store sales at 62@65c per bushel. Corn in moderate demand; sales mixed ear at 68c; mixed shelled 70c; prime yellow 72@73c. Rye—the extreme figures are $1 00@1 05 per bushel. Barley—Nothing doing; spring 80@85c; fall 90@95c per bushel, as per quality and condition.

HAY.—Sales baled, on wharf, at $14@16 00; wagon $18@19 00 ⅌ ton.

HUSKS—Market well supplied. We can report sales in a regular way at 2½@2¾.

HOMINY—Dull with an occasional sale at $5 50 ⅌ lb.

HIDES—Prices have declined to the following: Green salted (all weights) 10½@11¼c; green butchers' (cow and steer) 7@8c; green salted kip 14@16c; do calf 16@18c.

HOPS—There is more inquiry, and we are reported sales at 22@25c ⅌ lb.

LARD OIL—Pittsburgh No 1 95@98c; No 2 65@67c; extra $1 00; Chicago and Cincinnati, extra 98c @$1 00 ⅌ gallon.

LIME—In good supply, with sales of Cleveland white, at $2 25 ⅌ bbl; Eastern $1 75 ⅌ bbl.

POTATOES—There is still a fair demand for old potatoes, and we are reported sales at the following: Lake Shore peach blows, prime quality, on track by car load, $1 10; bulk $1 15; sacked, store rates, $1 20@1 25; sales Western peachblows, Iowa and Wisconsin, $1@1 05 for sound lots; Jersey sweets $5 ⅌ bbl.

GROCERIES—Activity is the order of the day. Prices are firm and unchanged, and trade extremely brisk. We quote as follows:

Refined Sugars—Active. We quote as follows: Crushed, powdered and granulated, 14½c; A coffee, 13½c; B coffee, 13½c; extra C 13½c; C yellow 13c.

Raw Sugars—There is a fair demand for New Orleans choice at 11½c; prime 10½c; good 9½c; fair 9c. Porto Rico—Choice 11½c; prime 11c; good 10½c.

Syrups—Advanced a shade, and we quote H and E at 75c; white honey 63c; silver drips 60c; extra honey 65c; lower grades 40@50c.

New Orleans Molasses—The ruling rates are for good 65c; prime 70c; choice 72c.

Coffees—We quote strictly prime at 19c; prime 18½c; good 16½@17c; fair 15½@15¾c; roasted in papers 22c.

Teas—Fancy Young Hyson $1 50; prime $1 25; fair $1 00; lower grades down to 70c. Gunpowder fancy $1 40; good $1 25; fair $1 10. Imperial fancy $1 40; good $1 25; fair $1 00. Oolong fancy $1 25; good 80c; fair 60@70c. Souchong fancy $1 20; good 90c; fair 70@80c. Japan fancy $1 00; good 90c; fair 75c.

Spices—Grain pepper 21c; Pimento 17c; Cloves 20c; Cassia 50c.

Rice—Firm; sales choice Carolina at 9½c; prime 9c; Rangoon 8c.

CHEESE—New is coming forward, still the supply is short of the demand. We quote as follows: New York Goshen at 18c ⅌ lb; Ohio Goshen 15@16c; Ohio Factory 16@17c; Western Reserve 13@14c ⅌ lb.

DRIED FRUIT—We quote regular sales as follows: Peaches, quarters, 9½@10c; halves, 13@14c; mixed lots 10½@11c. Apples, quarters 5@7c ⅌ lb. Currants, 11½c ⅌ lb; Valencia raisins, 12½@13c; layer raisins, ⅌ box, $3 15.

PAPER—Printing, rag, 13@14c ⅌ lb; printing, straw, 12c; wrapping, rag, 4½@5c; wrapping, straw, 3½@4c; wrapping, manuia, 12@13c.

PEANUTS—We are reported regular sales at 9@9½c ⅌ lb for New Tennessee.

PEAS—Are selling in a regular way at $1 50 ⅌ bushel.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER—Sales ¼ lb cans $1 50; ½ lb $3 00; 1 lb $6 00 ⅌ doz.

RAGS—There is an active demand for rags at 4@4½c ⅌ lb.

SUMAC—Sales of Tennessee at 4½c ⅌ lb.

SALT—Sales by the car load at $1 60@1 65.

SEEDS—Flaxseed is held at $2 20@2 25; clover and timothy not quotable.

HEMP—Sales of Kentucky at $175 per ton.

SAPOLIO—Sales at $6 50 per half gross.

SOAP—Colgate's sterling soap, $3 75 ⅌ box; Babbitt's, 11c; Oakley's, 9½c; chemicals of all descriptions, olive, 8c; rosin, No. 1, 6c ⅌ lb.

SODA—Sales in kegs 6c; boxes, assorted papers 8c; sal soda 3½c ⅌ lb.

TALLOW—Sales at 9 @9½c; country 7@7½c.

WOODENWARE—Pails, 2 hoop, $2 35; 3 hoop, $2 65. Tubs, No. 1, 3 hoops, $11 00; No. 2, 2 hoops, $9 50; No. 3, 2 hoops, $8 50. Washboards $2 75.

WILLOWS—Sales of Kentucky willows at 10c ⅌ lb.

WHISKY—Highwines 92c; common rectified 95c; proof rectified $1 05; rye and corn $1 65@1 76 ⅌ gal; old Monongahela whisky $4@8 ⅌ gal, as to age.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
FRIDAY, May 12, 1871.

Cattle.

The arrivals of cattle this week have been light. The market was brisk all week, cattle selling about as fast as they would arrive at prices ¼c better than those of last week. Nearly all the cattle were bought for the New York market. The prospect looks fair at this time for next week's market, but a great deal depends on the state of the markets east. The following are the figures at which cattle sold for this week: Extra, 1,200 to 1,500 steers, $6 75@7 00; good to prime, 1,100 to 1,200, $6 25@6 50; common to medium, 1,000 to 1,100, $6 00@6 10; bulls, stags and cows, 800 to 1,500, $4 50@5 25; stock steers, 800 to 1,000, $5 25@5 75.

Hogs.

The arrival of hogs fair to-day. The market continues dull and sluggish, with but few selling. In fact the business has been so unreliable the last two months that dealers are afraid to operate to any extent, and a cautious feeling prevails throughout the entire business. The future of the market is a mere conjecture, some hold the opinion that the bottom has been reached, while there are those who hold to the contrary. The following are the rates current to-day: Extra Philadelphia $5 50; good to prime Philadelphia, 225 to 250, $5 25; good to prime New York, 180 to 220, $5 to 5 50.

Sheep.

The arrivals of sheep are light to-day. The run this week has been a heavy one, and on Wednesday sheep declined, but since then, under the influence of light receipts, the decline was checked, and sheep, though selling more slowly, as most of the buyers are supplied for the week, brought nearly the prices which ruled during the first of the week. The feeling to-night is fair, and prospects for next week look good at this time. The following are the ruling rates for the different kinds and grades: Good to prime, 85 to 90 lbs, $6 25 to $6 75; decent to fair, 75 to 80 lbs, $5 25 to $5 75; mean to common, 70 to 75 lbs, $4 75 to $5 00; foot rot and scalawags, by the head, $1 75; clipped, $4 50 to $5 50.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
SATURDAY, May 13, 1871.

REMARKS—The crude market yesterday was both firm and active; buyers took hold freely. The result was, we are noted, sales to the extent of sixteen thousand barrels, being the largest day's business in oil we have reported for a long time. This bears out the prediction we made some days since that prices had touched the bottom, and that the next movement would be an upward one. The market at the close was barely as firm as earlier in the day, still holders were not disposed to make any concessions to insure sales.

CRUDE.

The current rates for the various deliveries were: Spot 11⅞c; May 11⅞c; sellers' option to July, 11⅞@12c; buyers' option to July 12½c; sellers' option all year, 11½c; buyers' option all year 13c.

SALES.

2,000 bbls from barges, spot	11⅞c
1,000 bbls spot	11⅞c
1,000 bbls spot	11 15-16c
1,000 bbls S. O. till July	11⅞c
2,000 bbls S. O. till July	11⅞c
1,000 bbls S. O. till July	12 c
2,000 bbls S. O. till July	12 c
1,000 bbls S. O. till July	11 31-32c
1,000 bbls June 15, heavy	12 c
3,000 bbls S. O. July, 46 gravity	11⅞c
4 car loads spot at Foster's	$4 60

REFINED.

The market was still steady. There was not the same activity perceptible as for the raw material. The current rates were: May, 24½c; June, 25c; July 25¼@25½c; August and September, 26c.

SALES.

1,000 bbls June, S. O.	25 c.
500 bbls S. O. B., last half June	22½c.

COOPERAGE.

Oil barrels—Sales 200 country made, on spot, delivered, at $1 65. Holders of city made, on spot, are holding them firmly at $1 70 each delivered.

[Western Union Telegraph Line.]

TITUSVILLE, May 12.—The *Herald* says: There was not so much inquiry to-day in the petroleum market as during the day previous, and buyers generally were not inclined to pay the prices asked, while some were bidding less than during yesterday. We quote the following sales:

	$4 35
1,000 bbls upper creek, spot	4 35
1,000 bbls upper creek, spot	4 30
1,000 bbls upper creek, spot	4 30
500 bbls upper creek, spot	4 30
300 bbls upper creek, spot	4 30
250 bbls upper creek, spot	4 25
250 bbls upper creek, spot	4 25
250 bbls upper creek, spot	4 25
1,000 bbls upper creek, B. O., first 6 mos	4 50
1,000 bbls lower creek, S. O., first 6 mos	4 50
1,000 bbls lower creek, S. O., 90 days	4 50
1,000 bbls lower creek, S. O., 90 days	4 50
1,000 bbls lower creek, S. O., 90 days	4 50
1,000 bbls lower creek, regular	4 40
1,000 bbls Rouseville, spot	4 60
5,000 bbls lower creek, B. O., all year	5 02½
500 bbls Rouseville, spot	4 55
1,000 bbls Oil City	4 75
1,000 bbls Oil City	4 80

NEW YORK, May 12, closing on the 11th.—Crude in bulk advanced a trifle; sales 2,800 bbls at 14@14½c; 500 bbls 46 gravity at 14½. Crude in shipping order 18@18½c. Refined active and firm; sales 1,500 on old contracts, part at 24½c; 7,000 May at 25c; 4,500 first half June 25@25⅛c; 9,500 last half June 25¼@25½c; 2,000 June at 25⅛c; 3,000 first half July 25½c; 8,500 last half July at 25@25½c; 1,000 each June and July 25½c. Philadelphia delivery active; sales embrace 37,000 bbls; market closing at outside prices; sales 2,000 bbls refined high test, early delivery, at 24½c; 18,000 May at 24½@24¾c; 6,000 June at 25c; 2,500 July at 25@25½c; 1,500 each June, July and August 25¼@25½c; 1,000 each July and August 25½c, and 1,000 each August and September 26c.

OIL CITY, May 12.—Market firm and advancing; 47 gravity at Oil City held at $4 60@4 65; ordinary on lower creek held at $4 60.

TITUSVILLE, May 12.—Sales at $4 35@4 42½ on upper road.

PETROLEUM CENTER, May 12.—Market firm at $4 60.

ROUSEVILLE, May 12.—Firm, with considerable inquiry, at $4 45@4 55.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Market quiet and steady: standard white, 24½c; May 24⅛@24¼c; June 25c; July 25½c; August 26c. Crude 13½c.

[By Pacific and Atlantic Line.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 12, 12 M.—Crude 13½c. Refined—last half May 24½c bid; first half June 24½c; last half do 25c asked; June to August 25½c asked.

PARKER'S LANDING, May 12, 11 A. M.—Market very firm and but little oil on the market; prices hard to quote; $4 60 bid and $4 70 asked.

OIL CITY, May 12, 11:40 A. M.—Market firm, strong and advancing. Lower creek $4 60@4 65; Oil City $4 75@4 80.

TITUSVILLE, May 12.—Market quiet and very firm, offering at $4 35; no transactions yet; sellers are not to be found easily at these figures.

PLEASANTVILLE, May 12.—Market quiet but firm at $3 95@4.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Market held firm; refined, 25c; June, 25c; first half and last half, 25½@25¾c; no sales. Crude is held at 14½@14¾c, with no demand.

Crude Oil Received by Rail and River.

	Bbls.		Bbls.
Bryan & Miles	56	H W C Tweddle	154
Spray Oil Works	148	Liberty Oil Works	400
Commercial O W	879	Brilliant Oil Works	74
Citizens Oil Works	948	Peerless Oil Works	148
Cosmos Oil Works	348	Kier's Oil Works	154
National Refinery	154	Liberty Oil Works	912
Total			4,829

Crude Oil Receipts by A. V. R. R.

Owner to Bryan & Miles, 56 bbls.
W F Baum to H W C Tweddle, 154 bbls.
L Helper to Spray Oil Works, 148 barrels.
Saranac Furnace to Liberty Oil Works, 400 bbls.
J B Barbour to Commercial Refinery, 725 barrels.
J Menhall to Brilliant Oil Works, 74 bbls.
Tack & Son to Citizens Refinery, 948 bbls.
Duncan & Young to Peerless Oil Works, 148 barrels.
Duncan & Young to Cosmos Oil Works, 398 bbls.
Duncan & Young to Kier's Oil Works, 468 bbls.
Wm Stewart to National Refinery, 154 barrels.
Bates & G to Commercial Oil Works, 154 barrels.
Parker & Thompson to Liberty Oil Works, 912 bbls.

Refined Oil Shipped East by W. P. R. R.

Mentzer, H & Co, 190 barrels to Logan Bros & Co., Philadelphia.

Shipments of Oil East via A. V. R. R., W. P. R. R. and P. R. R.

ALLEGHENY JUNCTION, May 12, 1871.

W M McKelvy & Co. 456 bbls refined to Logan Bros & Co, Philadelphia.

Fawcetts, Logan & S, 250 bbls refined to Logan Bros. & Co., Philadelphia.

C Weisenberger, 419 bbls refined, to Warden, Frew & Co, Philadelphia.

Montzheimer, K & Co., 400 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.

Triumph Refining Co, 251 bbls refined to Logan Bros & Co., Philadelphia.

Fulton, Marvin & Co, 156 bbls refined to Logan Bros & Co., Philadelphia.

Byrane & Mills, 46 bbls petroleum fluid, to J J Palmer, Baltimore.

Total shipments refined for the day, bbls	1,932
Total shipments fluid, bbls	46
Total	1,978

WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE PIG IRON ORE AND BLOOM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
SATURDAY, May 13, 1871.

Without any change to note in the prices of standard brands of gray forge irons, we are reported the following sales:

Bituminous Coal-Smelted from L. S. Ore.

100 tons gray forge	$35 00—4 mos.
100 tons white and mottled	33 00—4 mos.
100 tons gray forge	35 00—4 mos.
20 tons white and mottled	35 00—5 mos.

Anthracite.

100 tons mottled red short	$32 25—4 mos.
100 tons close grey	33 70—4 mos.
50 tons white and mottled	32 00—4 mos.
150 tons No. 1 anthracite	35 00—6 mos.
400 tons white and mottled	32 00—6 mos.
100 tons No. 1 foundry	35 00—cash.
100 tons No. 2 foundry	33 00—cash.
50 tons No. 1 foundry	33 50—cash.
30 tons No. 1 extra foundry	37 50—4 mos.
150 tons Chickies Forge at furnace	32 00—cash.

Allegheny Coke.

150 tons Allegheny coke	$34 00—time.

Iron Mountain Ore.

460 tons Iron Mountain ore	$12 00—cash and time.
400 tons Iron Mountain ore	12 00—cash and time.
140 tons Iron Mountain ore	12 00—cash and time.
630 tons Iron Mountain ore	12 00—cash and time.

Receipts of Pig Metal, Blooms and Ore.

Following are the receipts of metal for the past twenty-four hours:

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P R. R. CO. LESSEE.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co., m	29	Superior Mills, m	2
Hailman & H, m	22	Lewis, B, D & Co, m	3
J Wood, Son & Co, m	17		
Total			73

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Shoenberger, B & Co, o	4	Carnagie, K & Co, o	1
Brown & Musgrave, o	2	Hussey, W & Co, o	1
Wm Clark & Co, o	1	Pitts Bolt Co, o	1
Total			10

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS R. R.

	Cars.
Nimick & Co., m	1

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
John Moorhead, m	1	Lewis, Oliver & P, m	2
Wm Smith, m	1		
Total			4

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co.	6	R Wister, m	2
J W Porter, m	6	Bryan & C, m	2
J Reamer, m	3	Hailman & H, m	1
J Moorhead, m	3		
Total			23

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Brown & Co, m	1	Hailman & H, m	2
Lloyd & Black, m	3		
Total			6

MONTHLY METAL REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
SATURDAY, May 13, 1871.

The following are the receipts of pig iron, blooms and ore by the following railroads during April, 1871; also, a comparison table with March, 1870:

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co., m	40	Hailman & H., m	276
do. in Alleg'y, m.	76	Superior Mills, m	46
Lewis, O & P, m	75	Union Mills, m	29
Spang, C. & Co, m	20	Spang, Chalfant & Co, o	13
Jones & Laughlins, o	31	Everson, P & Co, m	13
Brown & Co., m	7	Coleman, R. & Co, m	24
Rogers & B., m	2	Rodgers & B., o	2
Robinson, Rea & Co, m	6	Reese, G & Co., m	43
Graff, Bennett & Co, m	34	Carnagie & Co., m	15
Wm. Smith, m	1	Pittsburgh Forge Co, m	13
Wm. Clarke, m	1	Lindsay & McC, m	4
Bryan & Caughey, m	1	Byers, McC, & Co., m	18
J. W. Porter, m	37	J. Wood, Son & Co. m	150
Lewis, Bailey, D. & Co, m	29	Reiter & Co., m	2
Total			1,460
April, 1870			621

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co.	38	J. Moorhead	107
J. Wood, Son & Co.	31	Hailman & H	46
J. Reamer	97	Bryan & Caughey	5
Jones & Laughlin	3	Various consignees	13
Anderson & Woods	8		
J. W. Porter	32		
Total			383
April, 1870			560

PITTSBURGH AND CLEVELAND RAILROAD.

	Cars Ore.	Cars P. Iron.	Cars Blooms.	Tot'l.
Nimick & Co.	..	1	45	46
McKnight & Co	37	..	..	37
Zug & Co	4	..	..	4
Carnagie, K. & Co	34	..	..	34
Wilson, Glass & Co	3	..	..	3
Pittsburgh Bolt Works	7	..	..	7
Bryan & Caughey	15	..	..	15
Wm. Clark & Co	1	4	..	5
Everson, Preston & Co.	9	..	..	9
Union Mills	..	1	..	1
Shoenberger, B & Co	24	..	..	24
Hailman & Hammett	..	5	..	5
Park Bros	1	..	..	1
McKnight, P. & Co	26	..	..	26
Brown & Co	2	..	..	2
J. Moorhead	2	2	30	34
Total	165	13	75	253
April, 1870	232	103	62	397

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Lewis Oliver & P	16	Carnagie, K. & Co	9
Brown & Co	9	Reese, Graff & Co	4
McKnight & Co	13	John Moorhead	9
Coleman, R & Co	3	H. Woodsides	6
Byers, McC. & Co	6	J. Marshall & Co	3
W. Smith	7		
Total			73
April, 1870			45

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
J. Moorhead	35	Lloyd & Black	22
Lyon, Shorb & Co	9	Fort Pitt Foundry	5
Robinson, R & Co	1	Lewis, Oliver & P	18
Brown & Co	6	Byers, McC. & Co	6
Hailman & H.	28	Loomis & Collard	2
Wm. Smith	1		
Total			133
April, 1870			26

WEST PENN RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Graff, Bennett & C.	17	Spang, C & Co.	10
John Moorhead	55		
Total			82

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.

	Cars.		Cars.
Nimick & Co.	10	Hailman & H.	4
Total			14

Pig Iron and Ore Receipts by River.

The following are the receipts of pig iron and ore by the Ohio river for April, 1871:

Consignees.	Blooms, tons.	Pig Iron, tons.	Ore, tons.
Nimick & Co.	50	2,583	....
Loomis & Collard	..	1,289½	....
Porter, J W	..	1,817½	....
Lindsay & McC	..	....	170
Hall & Speer	..	20½	....
W. D. McGowan	..	50	....
Byers, McCullough & Co.	..	....	200
Zug & Co	..	....	200
Shoenberger, Blair & Co.	..	....	460
Lewis, Bailey, D. & Co	..	....	400
Painter & Sons	..	....	140
Total	50	5,760½	1,570

MERCHANT BAR AND HEAVY HARDWARE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
FRIDAY, May 12, 1871.

The following are the card rates of Lewis, Oliver & Phillips:

Iron, standard list. Assorted orders in car loads, 3⅞c net rates.

Discount off standard list.

Carriage and tire bolts, full square neck, forged nuts	60 and 10 net
Plow bolts	20 and 5
Machine and square head bolts	40 and 10
Coach and lag screws, by the 100	50
Square and hexagon nuts and washers	5 c ⅌ lb off

NET PRICES.

Harrow teeth, in lots of 1 ton or more, 1 in. diam., 4½c; ¾ and ⅞ in. diam., 4¾c; ⅝ in. diam., 4¾c ⅌ lb.

Skein bolts, in bulk, in lots of 1 keg or more, ½ in. diam., 7½c; 9-16 in. diam., 8½c; ⅝ in. diam., 9½c; 1c ⅌ lb extra, when less than 1 keg of each size is ordered.

Coach and lag screws, in bulk, in lots of one keg or more, 1 cent. ⅌ lb, over above.

Screw Hook and Eye hinge, ¾ to 1 in. diam. 10c; ⅝ in. diam. 11c; ⅜ in. diam. 13c ⅌ lb net.

Screw and Strap Hinges, in lots of 100 pairs or more, 14 to 36 in. long, 7c; 8, 10 and 12 in. long, 8½c ⅌ lb net.

Strap and T hinges	20 ⅌ cent off.
Screw hitching rings	$7 50 ⅌ 100 net.
Duck nest tuyere irons	$13 50 ⅌ doz.
Cast iron washers	3½c ⅌ lb.

Bridge and roof bolts—

1 to 2½ in. diam. over 8 feet long ⅌ lb.	4½c
1 to 2½ in. from 4 to 8 feet long	5c
1 to 2½ in. diam. from 1½ to 4 feet long	5½c
¾, ⅞ and ⅞ in. diam. over 4 feet long	6c
¾, ⅞ and ⅞ in. diam., from 1½ to 4 feet long	6½c

WAGON HARDWARE.

Wagon box strap bolts, 14 inch, 80c net ⅌ set of bolts.

5c ⅌ set for each additional inch over 14 inch. All sizes and lengths made.

Wagon box strap bolts, 12 in. long by ½ at screw end ....55c ⅌ set of 8 bolts

Wagon box strap bolts, 10 in. long by 7-16 at screw ends ....40c ⅌ set of 8 bolts

Wagon box rods, narrow track, each	15c
Wagon box rods, wide track, each	16c
Single tree irons, ⅌ set of 4 pieces	30c
Wrought iron bolster plates, 2½ inch wide, ⅌ set	48c
Wrought iron bolster plates, 3 inch wide, ⅌ set	50c
Wrought iron bolster plates, 3½ inch wide, ⅌ set	53c
Wrought iron bolster plates, 3¾ inch wide, ⅌ set	55c
Wagon Brake Ratchets, each	13½c
Wagon Hammer Straps, each	12c

Strap bolts, rods, single tree irons, bolster plates, brake ratchets and hammer straps, in lots of 50 set, each, 10 ⅌ cent. off.

Wagon box staples, 1½ to 2½ inch ⅌ 1,000	$14 net.
net	5 net.
Neck yoke eyes, each	
King bolts, ⅝, 1, 1⅛ and 1¼ inch in diameter, ⅌ lb	4½
Wagon rivets, extra large and oval head, ⅜ inch diameter, all lengths, ⅌ lb	11

Tongue cap iron, same as band iron, 1½, 2, and 2½ inch wide, ½c ⅌ lb over same size of band iron, net.

Detroit Market.

DETROIT, May 12.—Wheat dull and drooping; extra $1 50; No 1 white $1 45; amber $1 40. Corn 65c. Oats steady at 50c. Potatoes 80@82c.

New York Finance and Trade

Gold Closed at 111⅛@111¼.

NEW YORK, May 12—P. M.

GOLD.

Gold firm at 111⅛@111¼. Loans were made at from 1 to 2 per cent. Clearances about $22,000,000. Double Eagles are at a premium of ⅛@¼.

MONEY.

Money is abundant at 4 per cent. National bank notes are selling freely at a discount of ⅛@¼.

EXCHANGE.

Sterling exchange 110¼.

GOVERNMENTS.

Governments opened dull and steady, but at the close were strong at an advance of ⅛ per cent.

Coupons, 1881	117	5-20s, 1867	113¼
5-20s, 1862	111	5-20s, 1868	113¼
5-20s, 1864	111	10-40s	109⅜
5-20s, 1865	111	Currency 6s	115⅝
5-20s, 1865, new	113¼		

STATE SECURITIES.

Southern State bonds were active to-day, with a general advance in prices.

Missouris	95½	Virginias, old	69
Tennessees, old	70½	North Carolinas, old	47½
Tennessees, new	70	North Carolinas, new	25¼
Virginias, new	71½		

STOCKS.

Stocks opened irregular. Western Union, Reading, Union Pacific and Indiana Central were very strong, especially Union Pacific, which sold up to 35⅜; some 4,000 shares changed hands during the day. Pittsburgh declined from 128 to 124, and finally rallied to 126¾. Express shares strong. There were no other features to the market. The "Bears" made another unsuccessful attempt to break the market. Short interest is said to be large.

W. U. Telegraph	60	Rock Island	114⅝
Quicksilver	11½	N. J. Central	107⅛
Mariposa	6⅛	St. Paul	62⅝
Preferred	11	Preferred	81⅝
Adams Express	81⅛	Wabash	64½
Wells Fargo Express	45	Preferred	80
Amer'n Express	55¼	Fort Wayne	99⅛
United States Express	55¼	Terre Haute	29
Pacific Mail	45⅞	Preferred	57½
New York Central	98⅝	Chicago and Alton	118⅛
New York Cent. Scrip	93⅞	Preferred	119
Erie	25⅝	Ohio and Mississippi	51⅛
Preferred	50	Cleve., Col. and Cin	89⅛
Harlem	129	Burlington and Quincy	156
Preferred	134	Lake Shore	109⅛
Reading	113⅛	Illinois Central	135
Michigan Central	123	Union Pacific	35⅛
Cleveland and Pitt'gh	126¾	Central Pacific Bonds	101⅝
Northwestern	84⅝	Union	94
Northwestern Pref'd	97		

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, May 12, 1871.

FLOUR—Quiet, unchanged, less active and a shade weaker.

WHEAT—No. 2 $1 29 cash or May, and $1 28½ for June; this afternoon firmer at $1 29½@1 30, cash and seller last half, and $1 29½@1 29¾ June.

CORN—No. 2 mixed fairly active at 55½c; this afternoon steady at 55⅛@55¼c for June, and 55⅛@55½c for May.

OATS—Firm at 48½@48¾c.

RYE—No. 2 firmer at 96@c.

BARLEY—Dull and nominal; No 2 at 80@81c.

HIGHWINES—Steady at 87½c for iron.

PROVISIONS—Pork active and advanced to $17 00@17 25. Lard steady at 10⅛c cash, and 10½c June.

HOGS—Fairly active at $4 40@4 90.

FREIGHTS—Lake freights firmer at 9½c for corn and 10c for wheat to Kingston.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Cotton active and advanced; middling upland 15½c. Flour dull and declined; superfine western and State $5 65@5 85; common to good extra $6 05@6 25; good to choice $6 25@6 80; white western extra $6 85@7 20; Ohio extras $6 20@6 90; St. Louis $6 25@9 00. Rye flour and cornmeal unchanged. Whisky firmer at 91½@92c. Wheat dull and drooping; new spring $1 54@1 55; red and amber $1 55@1 62; white western $1 84. Rye, barley and malt quiet. Corn active and advanced; mixed western 80@84½c; yellow 83½@85c. Oats active and advanced; western and Ohio 65@68c. Hay and hops quiet. Coffee firm; Rio 13½@16½c. Sugar steady; Cuba 9½@10c. Molasses firm; Cuba 36@45c. Rice 8½@9½c. Crude petroleum firm at 14½@15c; refined 24½@25c. Pork firm; mess $17 00@17 25; prime $14 50@15; prime mess new $15 00@16 50; June $17 12½. Beef steady; mess $10@15; extra $14@17. Hams $28@29; prime mess $24@26; India $25@29. Cut meats steady at 13½c; shoulders 6½@7c. Middles dull. Lard firmer; prime steam 10⅞@11⅛c; kettle dried 11¼c; June 11¼c. Butter dull at 14@27c for Western and 30c for State. Cheese heavy at 5@14c.

LATEST.—Flour dull and drooping at $6@6 30 for shipping extras. Wheat dull and declined; new spring $1 53@1 54½; red and amber $1 56@1 60. Corn steady; mixed western 81@87c. Lard firm at 10⅞@11⅛c bid for July. Eggs steady at 17c.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Dry Goods—Apart from the decline noticed already in heavy brown sheetings there is but little change observed in the features of the market. There is a moderate business doing only in staple articles at uniform rates, while thin fabrics of a perishable nature have to be sold, as usual at this season, at some concession in order to close broken invoices. The most noticeable feature in the cotton goods market is the approach of print cloths to the price of prints and standard sheetings, but the former are entirely too high and cannot be sustained through any long period, as it is the result of a speculation gotten up by rich printers in order to advance the price of printed goods. That heavy sheetings are low at the annexed figures, is however, unquestionable. We quote Indian and Atlantic A at 12c; Adriatic, Lyman, E and Pacific Extra 11½c; Ozark 11c; Golden Ridge 8½c; Sprague fancy prints are advanced to 10½@11c. Rolled Jaconets extremely scarce and prices firmer; S Slater and Sons' plain colors are advanced to 11c, and high colors 12c, less 5 per cent. by package. The imports of dry goods to this port for this week foot up $1,796,842, while the quantity thrown upon the market reaches $1,995,114.

New York Cattle Market.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Beeves to-day 900, completing 7,700 for the week; market slow at rates of yesterday or a shade easier; 50 Mississippi 1,225 lbs at 13½c, 57 lbs per cwt; 175 Illinois 6½ cwt at 12½@13½c; 50 good 7¼ cwt at 14c; 50 Texans 6½ cwt 12½c, 56 lbs per cwt.

Sheep—Receipts 3,200 to-day, and 14,800 for the week; trade slow and prices unchanged for sheep. Lambs are ½c lower at 14c for the best; 3 cars Ohio sheared sheep $2 lbs sold at 6c; a car fat India wool 105 lbs 8½c.

Hogs—1,500 to-day and 16,000 for the week; market a little stronger, most dressed selling at 7½@8c; a few pigs at 8½c.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, May 12.—Cotton firm; middling 14½c. Flour firm; family $6 40@6 60. Wheat active and advanced; red $1 42@1 45. Corn firm at 57@58c. Rye—an advance asked but none established; sales at $1 02@1 03, asking $1 04@1 05. Oats steady. Barley steady $1 00@1 18, the latter an extreme rate. Coffee firm; prime 18@18½c. Sugar firm; New Orleans 9½@11½c. Molasses steady; New Orleans 60@65c. Linseed oil firm but in light demand at 90@92c. Lard oil steady at 90@92c. Eggs steady at 15c. Butter steady at 24@26c. Cheese firm; factory 15@15½c. Pork quiet and weak; asking $17 50. Lard quiet and unchanged; 11c asked and 10¾c offered. Bulk meats quiet and unchanged and buyers and sellers apart, 6@6⅞c offered for shoulders and sides and ¼c higher asked. Bacon steady; sales at 7@9½@9¾c, generally asking a shade higher. Hogs dull but unchanged at $5 65@6 40. Cattle dull but unchanged at $4@6 25. Tobacco steady. Whisky dull and drooping at 88c.

Albany Cattle Market.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 12.—The cattle market is well supplied with medium weights and stillers; medium to fair steers are ¼@⅛c higher than last week, while common and extra heavy weights are unchanged; the highest price realized was 7¾c, and from that down to 7c. Bulls of good weight sold at 6@6½c. Sheep were in moderate supply and the market rules tame, the price ranging from 5½ to 7c.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, May 12.—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat—demand fair and market firm; fair to prime $1 60@1 90. Corn dull; white southern 74@75c. Oats 63@64c. Provisions unchanged. Whisky quiet at 92@92½c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Flour steady; Ohio and Indiana $6 75@7 50. Wheat dull; red western $1 55@1 58. Corn firm; mixed western 73@76c; yellow 77@78c. Oats 65@68c. Crude petroleum 17½c; refined 24½@24¾c. Whisky 92½@93c.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, May 12.—Flour firm. Wheat active and advanced ½@2c; No. 3 white Wabash $1 70; No 1 white Michigan $1 54; amber Michigan $1 41½; No 1 red Wabash $1 43; No 2 do $1 41. Corn quiet and unchanged; high mixed 59½c; low do 59¼c; yellow 63c; Michigan 59½c. Oats dull and a shade lower; No 1 56½c; No 2 54c; Michigan 56c. Freights firm; to Buffalo 5c.

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, May 12.—Flour dull but unchanged. Wheat dull and lower; sales 1,300 bushel No. 1 red winter at $1 42. Corn dull but unchanged. Oats dull and nominal; No 1 state 57c. Crude petroleum quiet but firm at $5 30; refined dull and declined to 22½c.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 12.—Flour dull and nominal. Wheat steady; No. 1 $1 31; No. 2 $1 28. Oats quiet and weak; No. 2 50c. Corn—No 2 mixed 60c. Rye scarce and firm; No. 1 89½c. Barley dull and nominal.

Nashville Market.

NASHVILLE, May 12.—Cotton active; low middling 13½c; stock 1,700 bales. Bacon—Clear sides 10½c; shoulders 7½c; hams 12½c; sugar-cured hams 16c. Lard 13c. Bulk meats—Clear ribbed sides 9½c; shoulders 6½c, packed. Corn 70c. Oats 70c. Flour $5@8.

IRON MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

May 11—American Pig—The state of the market is unchanged since our last report. Demand and production are alike small, and quotations are firm. The furnaces on the North river are almost all blown out, and we hear of one that paid $11 a ton for coal last week to keep blowing. We note a sale of 100 tons No. 1 North river foundry iron at $33, and 100 tons Glendon No. 1 at $35. We quote No. 1 foundry, $34 to $36; No. 2 foundry, $33 to $33 50; Gray forge, 30 to 32; white and Mottled, $30 to 31; Charcoal, $40 to $55.

Scotch Pig—The price of Scotch Pig has weakened considerably since our last. The demand has been about adequate to absorb the arrivals, which have been considerable. We quote a sale of 100 tons Gartsherrie No. 1, on ship's account, at $32 25, which is below the market. It is offered to arrive at $32 50, and Eglinton at $31. We quote, Coltness, $35; Glengarnock, $32 50 to $33; Eglinton, $32 to 33.—*Iron Age*

IRONTON.

May 10.—The pig iron market is weaker than at our last report, although the receipts have not materially increased.

Purchasers are not so lively, owing to the fact, perhaps, that so soon as all the furnaces get in blast the anxiety of some to realize will cause a slight decline.

We continue to quote:

Foundry hot blast No. 1	$34@36
Foundry hot blast No. 2	33@35
Mill hot blast	32@34
Cold blast, carwheel	56@63
Bituminous Belfont	32@35
Bituminous Ashland	32@35

Bar is less active, although orders for hoop continue to come in rapidly.

The mills are still running double turn, but the Ironton will probably fall back to single again soon. She is making a success out of the new steel process.

Nails are lively at full card rates.—*Journal*.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

Date of Departures from New York.

Abyssinia	May 13	Liverpool.
Columbia	May 13	Liverpool.
Silesia	May 16	Hamburg.
Russia	May 17	Liverpool.
Wisconsin	May 17	Liverpool.
Calabria	May 20	Liverpool.
Anglia	May 20	Glasgow.
Lafayette	May 21	France.
Germania	May 23	Hamburg.
Cuba	May 24	Liverpool.
Nevada	May 24	Liverpool.
Tripoli	May 25	Liverpool.
Assyria	May 27	Glasgow.
Nebraska	May 27	Liverpool.
China	May 31	Liverpool.
Wyoming	May 31	Liverpool.

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Oil City.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.

OIL CITY, May 12, 1871.

River twenty inches in the channel and falling very slowly. Weather clear and pleasant.

For Latest River Dispatches See Outside.

RIVER NEWS.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

Arrived.

Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
Elector	Bougher	Geneva.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
E. Bennett	Z. W. Carmack	Geneva.
West Virginia	Donaldson	Morgantown

Departed.

E. Bennett	Z. W. Carmack	Geneva.
Chieftain	Phillips	Geneva.
Elector	Bougher	Geneva.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Argosy	Goodwin	Wheeling.

Monongahela eight feet and falling.

This Day's Packets.

Geneva	U. S. mail line	8 A. M., 5 P. M.
Morgantown	West Virginia	Donaldson, 3 P. M.
St. Louis	Wananita	Rees, 12 M.

Boats Announced.

St. Louis	Comet	Hare, May 16.
St. Louis	Lorena	Shuman, May 16.

THE marks last evening indicated eight feet six inches and falling. The weather was delightful. Business on the landing was not very active, freights being scarce.

THE Argosy left last evening with a fair trip.

The Collier's barges are receiving for St. Louis, and will have quick dispatch.

THE towboat Horner passed Cairo on Friday morning, *en route* for Louisville.

THE fine steamer Lorena, Captain Shuman, is loading for St. Louis, and will have dispatch.

ST. LOUIS.—The *Democrat* says: We have just learned of the decease of Captain Jennison Eager, an old New York merchant, and steamboat captain in the St. Louis trade twenty-five years ago. The well known Captains John Cannon and Tom. Leathers were his pilots through many a trip. He commanded at one time the Gem, a cotton boat.

M. C. FOSTER has been re-elected Wharfmaster at New Albany.

THE Messenger was at Cairo on Wednesday, *en route* for Cincinnati.

THE Granite State left for Portsmouth with a moderate trip.

THE Wananita deferred her departure until this day at 12 M. Shippers will be on hand with their bills of lading.

THE new steamer West Virginia, Captain D. Donaldson, leaves for Morgantown at 3 P. M. Passengers and shippers will bear this in mind.

Captain James Blackmore, Ex-Mayor, succeeded yesterday in raising two of his coalboats that sunk at White's Dam and Deadman on Sunday.

E. LEE BREADY has taken charge of the Bill Henderson's office, and Spencer J. Ball is captain aboard.

THE new steamer West Virginia, Captain Donaldson, leaves at 7 A. M. for Brownsville and intermediate ports.

THE fine steamer Wananita, Capt. R. Rees, is announced for St. Louis and St. Paul. This boat has superior accommodations and is in charge of careful and attentive officers.

THE United States mail packets on the slack-water leave daily at 8 A. M. and 5 P. M. These boats, all side-wheelers, built expressly for the trade, are in charge of experienced and attentive officers.

OFFICIAL SURVEY OF THE OHIO RIVER FROM PITTSBURGH TO CAIRO.—At the request of our river friends we have published a third edition of this important table, with various improvements. It can be obtained at the COMMERCIAL office at ten cents per copy, or three copies for twenty-five cents.

ROBERT DUFFEY, an engineer, formerly of Pittsburgh, but for a number of years a resident of the South, died in New Orleans yesterday. His relatives reside in this city.

THE Henry Yeager was to leave New Orleans Tuesday for this port. She had on her down trip 1,780 tons net, and there was room for more. So wrote the well pleased captain of the boat, Van Hook.

ADDITIONAL COAL DEPARTURES.—The following boats have departed for Louisville: Hawk, seven barges, one full boat, 85,000 bushels; J. F. Dravo, seven barges coal, 80,000 bushels, two barges coke, 10,000 bushels.

JOHN JOHNSON, carpenter on the Silver Bow, dropped dead on Fourth street, between Randolph and Quincy streets, St. Louis, on Sunday night, from heart disease. Mr. Johnson was formerly a prominent lumber merchant in Cairo.

ARKANSAS and White rivers are both falling, but are out of their banks for one hundred miles above their mouths. Red river was on a rise at Shreveport last week, and its lower part is already high. All the low land region below Vicksburg, and for some distance above, is under water, and it is feared that the volume yet to come will cause much damage and distress.

LAST year's cotton has been mostly forwarded from the St. Francis, White, Arkansas and Red rivers, and the present outlook indicates a very dull river trade for four months to come. Some cotton still remains unginned on the St. Francis and elsewhere, and will not be prepared for shipment until there is more time to spare. The steamers Utah and Little Rock have exchanged places. The former is to run from Little Rock to Fort Smith, and the latter from Little Rock to St. Louis. During the storm, Tuesday evening, the schooners Rosa and George Eike collided near the mouth of Bayou St. John. The Eike was sunk and the Rosa only slightly damaged.

A MISTAKE.—The serious wound received in the face by Captain David Hiner, while an officer in the navy, disfigured the lineaments slightly. A nerve was touched by the missile, causing to this day a twitching of the left half face, and a closing of his mischevious bright eye, which everybody has observed. This unfortunate habit, malady, or whatever it should be called, came near procuring him a humiliating assault while he was a passenger in a street car last week. A fellow passenger, powerful and fierce, seized him and was going to hurl him from the car for winking repeatedly at his wife, who sat by him. Capt. Hiner explained the case, and the hasty gentleman apologized.

THE S. S. Merrill that arrived at St. Louis from St. Paul reports the following: Met the Gilmore just over the lower rapids (Monday morning) with her coal all right. They are building another barge smasher at Sabula, just above Dr. Wood's house. The railroad has built a track out in the river by driving piles, and in high water they are a good ways out in the river. There are a good many kind of these obstructions along the shore, together with eight bridges. The river is not so great as the father of waters ought to be inasmuch as these obstructions are permitted. We would recommend to Congress to build a light house on each one, and appoint one of the old upper river pilots on each one as keepers.

IMPORTS BY RAIL AND RIVER.

Per Pennsylvania Railroad.

THROUGH.

Kramer & V, 80 pkgs groceries. Kramer & B, 20 bbls oranges. Fulton, B & Co, 91 bales oakum. B L Fahnestock & Co, 83 carboys acid. J S McKelvy, 5 carriages. R E Sellers & C, 3 bxs drugs. Arbuckles & Co, 20 bxs tobacco. Harris & Ewing, 4 bxs drugs. Haworth & D, 30 bags rice. Johnson & C, 10 bbls prunes, 55 hf bbls fish. T C Jenkins & Bro, 3 chests tea. G A Kelley, 8 bxs drugs. J P Lippincott, 17 bbls sugar, 4 bxs mustard. J Porterfield & Co, 5 chests tea, 1 do peaches. Schwartz & H, 1 bx mdse, 1 do drugs. A J Jones, 6 kegs liquor. O H Ormsby, 1 bx mdse. F Ross, 14 pkgs groceries. J P Pettit, 4 bbls pickles. J H Shoenberger, 1 box gas fixtures. Kirkpatrick & Lyon, 4 pcs machinery. Anderson & W, 3 casks crucibles. J H Baird, 20 bbls sugar. A H Childs, 1 paper package. Carr, McC & C, 1 bx dry goods. Carter Bros & Co, 20 bbls prunes. Dilworth, H & Co, 1 bale rope. J Dunlap, 3 bxs tea. W H Gormley, 10 bbls prunes. D Gregg & Co, 1 bx d goods. C G Hammar & S, 3 bags hair. Hubbard, S B & Co, 78 bdls steel. Keystone B Co, 6 ancher bolts. Lindsay, S & E, 1 bx h ware. Labher & Bros, 22 bxs fruit. E & C Magian, 2 bbls sugar. Weaver & H, 1 carriage. McCallin Bros, 1 do. McNish & B, 1 lot machinery. Park Bros & Co, 15 casks bone. Reymer & B, 2 bxs mustard. Rinehart & S, 5 bags ginger. Shipton & S, 10 bags rice. Schomaker & Co, 25 bbls sugar. Sargent & Co, 485 bars iron. S M Young, 22 kits fish.

ALLEGHENY CITY.

Wm Semple, 25 bxs and bales d goods. Weltz Bros, 16 rolls carpets, 8 bxs oil cloth. Boggs & Buhl, 4 bxs d goods. J A Hermon, lot shoe findings. A W Erwin & Co, 2 bales mdse. J Lantner, 4 bdls paper, 3 bxs h ware, 1 box dry goods. Dunlop & S, 2 rolls carpet. S P Armstrong & Co, 12 pkgs groceries. J Caldwell, 1 bx d goods. Workman & D, 1 carriage. Mrs M Jarnolds, 25 pa hay. W Davison, 9 pkgs groceries. McClinton & Co, 1 bx shoes. McCracken & Co, 1 roll carpet. C Zeiss, 2 boxes shoes. R H Hemmerberger, lot c ware. S Dyer, 1 bale d stuff. R Wetz, 1 bale mdse. H P Schwartz & Co, 5 bbls p oil, stroab & B, 1 bx hardware. R Hay, 1 bx shoes. S Moon, 4 bxs c nuts. J Glenn, 3 bxs tea. W Brown & Co, 1 box hardware. W B Ross & Son, 2 bxs tea. R & W Jenkinson, 1 bx cigars. W Laro, 3 bxs shoes. H Remey, 2 bbls sugar. Graham & S, 2 bxs shoes. Balslear & Bro, 2 bxs sardines. H H Meyer, 1 bale dry goods. F Meyer, 3 boxes shoes. J J Fast, 6 bdls w paper. J Bernhert, 1 bx h ware. Boggs & Lindsey, 100 bbls plaster. J Craig, 30 pkgs groceries. Holmes, Bell & Co, 1 bdl y bags. Ribon & Witter, 5 bags coffee. I Hursh, 1 bx d g. F Grab, 7 bbls sugar. Wilson & Co, 25 bxs w glass. W H Culter & Co, 1 bx shoes. S Groves & Son, 1 b d g. J K Wever, 4 bxs w pa. N Schneider, 1 box shoes.

LOCAL.

G R Cromwell, 10 boxes, 3 trunks, 12 weights, 3 bundles patterns. McBane & Anjer, 50 boxes axes. Spencer & McKay, 40 empty ale bbls. A W Buffum, 17 boxes bottles. J Rhodes & Co, 11 empty ale bbls. Smith & Co, 11 empty ale bbls. James McKay, lot empty bbls and half bbls. Pier, Dannals & Co, 4 empty bbls. F Sellers & Co, 1 box meat. J Arnold & Son, 6 ale bottles. J A McKeley & Co, three buggies. M Richards & H, 1 bx g. Wallace, C & Co, 9 e bbls. M Cain, lot h h goods. G W McClure, 1 cheese. S McCreck, art & Co, 2 e bbls, 5 kgs. T C Jenkins, 1 bx tea. Watt, L art & Co, 15 sks potatoes. E Kuhn, lot lumber. C Barlein, Bro & Co, 2 bbls whisky. Hoeveler & Co, lot bones. A J Nellis & Co, 3 bxs h w.

THROUGH FREIGHT FROM NEW YORK.

Armstrong Bros & Co, 131 bales wood, 2 bxs h ware. Arbuckles & Co, 200 bags coffee, 1 pkg mdse, 1 bx segars. Renner & Bro, 18 kegs trunnes. W Haslage & Co, 5 do. Knox & Co, 23 bbls syrup. Watt, Lang & Co, 10 do currants. Pennsylvania Salt Co, 25 casks s ash. Dilworth, H & Co, 98 bags coffee.

Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

Mullen & Malones, 1 car iron. J Moorehead, 265 blooms. Maloney & Lanahan, 1 car s iron. B L Fahnestock, 50 bxs tall. Heath & S, 8,000 feet lumber. W J McMaster, 8,000 do do. J McCune, 8,000 do do. Connellsville G and C Co, 16,000 do do. Gordon & W, 6,000 do do. W F Richardson, 8,000 do do. Heath & S, 8,000 do do. Geo A Marshall, 8,000 do do. Slack & S, 8,000 do do. J Muskimen, 100 bbls lime. Bruggeman & O'G, 340 bush potatoes. Allen K & Co, 26 cases tobacco. S P Shriver, 65 half barrels fish. Geo W Morris, 1 grind stone. T Tyler, 21 bundles baskets. T F Bailey & Co, 9 crates crockery. Carter, Bro & Co, 25 bxs starch. W M Gormley, 5 crates 25 bxs do. J A Renshaw & Co, 20 crates 20 bxs do. Smith & F, 8 s machines. W F Bostwick, 14 cultivators. Kloman Bork & Co, 1 bx h ware. Park & Dean, 10 bdls rope do. Lindsay & Co, 5 do, 5 do kgs, 5 do do, 9 do do, 2 do do. Park & Dean, 5 do. Tate & Alston, 20 doz rakes. S H Baird, 20 cases tobacco. Graff & Bennett, 10 tons pig iron. Voigt & McGraw, 5 kegs barley. Boyd, Murray & T, 2 bxs wood in shape. Vanlossen & S, 7 sks rags, 3 do potatoes. Watt, Lang & Co, 20 bxs cheese. J Woodwell, 12 w barrows. J Meyer & S, 20 bdl 1 bx c stack. J W Lea, 8 hf bbls fish, 10 kits do. J A Graff, 2 tubs cheese. P Duff & Son, 60 sks oats. John Rose, 64 do. Head & M, 1 bbl eggs.

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad.

Mercer & Robinson, 6 tcs hams. W F Goodman, 3 freezers. Geo W Stevenson, 3 do. Stevenson & Cartwright, 2 do. Wesley, Wilson & Co, 10 bbls oil. Louis Schmidt, 30 kegs l beer. P Duff & Son, 90 sks wheat, 14 do oats, 6 do rye. P Gierst, 32 sks rye. McQuestion & Smith, 33 sacks of wheat, 21 do rye. Reed & Johnson, 9 bdls paper. Adler, Rosenberg & Co, 35 bbls whisky. Kell & Reichart, 25 sks wheat. Schwartz & H, 16 bbls flour. Schnellack & H's, 1 car bulk bran. S Klinordlinger, 5 bbls whisky. P H McClafferty, 5 do do. John Fullerton & Son, 5 pails tobacco, 3 drums do. Arbuckle & Co, 8 bxs do. Holmes, Bell & Co, 5 bbls starch.

Per Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago R. R.

M Gregan & Co, 10 bbls spirits. Jenkins, 200 barrels flour. Shoemaker & Co, 100 do do. D W Garrott, 8 half bbls pickles. Shipton & Wallace, 12 half bbls fish. Knox & Orr, 30 do do. M W Rankin & Bro, 5 pkgs g cakes. W D Cooper & Bro, 5 do do. J S Dilworth & Co, 6 do do. S H Baird, 5 do do. G W McClure, 13 do do. Haworth & D, 13 do do. D Haworth, 1 do do. J A Renshaw, 1 do do. W Haslage, 1 do do. W France, 1 do do. C O Perrine, 3 pkgs honey. B L Fahnestock & Co, 5 bbls grease. Kiel & R, 1 car oats. Hitchcock, McC & Co, 1 car corn. Voigt, M & Co, 9 bbls apples. Jas Graham, 11 bbls flour. W J Meek, 37 sks rye. H Rea, Jr, 8 pkgs bacon. W H Kirkpatrick & Co, 22 boxes cheese. Kerr Bro 15 do do. H J McCracken & Bro, 1 bbl butter. McElroy & Co, 33 sks rags. A Kirkpatrick, 15 bxs cheese. J H Shuckland, 5 do do. Knox & Orr, 10 do do. Marshall, K & Co, 1 car wheel.

ALLEGHENY STATION.

J C Lappe, 25 bdls g hides. A Ortloib & Co, 6 lounges. F Stouffer, 2 bbls eggs, 2 coops chickens. John Kane, 1 bx cutlery. J W Gerder, 31 bxs seizing. Whiteside & Drum, 1 bdle handles. W P Townsend & Co, 12 casks. 2 kgs. rivets, 1 bdle wire. H Gerwig & Son, 2 bales twine, 5 do tow. Jno A Brown, 1 bale s pieces. Jacob Heck, 2 bxs, 1 keg butter, 1 bbl eggs. S Schollman, 1 bbl eggs, 1 stand butter. F Miller, 1 bbl eggs, 1 stand butter. C Garber, 1 bbl eggs, 1 stand butter. F Gilbert, 5 bbls eggs, 4 firkins butter. Huckenstein & Baun, 1 car stone. Duquesne Lime Co, 4 do lime, 1 do stone. J K Shinn, 1 do lime. Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, 1 car metal. Lindsay & McCutcheon, 1 do do. Forrester & Mcgraw, 2 do stone. J M Hemphill, 1 do staves and hhds. Pittsburgh Locomotive Works, 1 truck. A Guckishe mer, 200 bgs malt. Lewis, Bailey & Co, 5 cars mets. Lewis, Oliver & Phillips 2 cars metal. Graff, Bennett & Co, 2 do do. C Cole, 1 cow. W Doyle, 1 bbl butter. Sutton & Rado, 1 bag potatoes. S Hedger, 2 bbls eggs. Beckfield & Nikhans, 5 bbls eggs. Geo Stewart, 300 bags shipstuffs, 100 sks flour. W & J Carson, 1 stand butter, 3 bbls eggs. Henry Jones, 2 bbls cider. G Pass, 1 bbl eggs, 1 firkin butter. S Moore, 25 bxs c soap. McCord & Rigby, 50 sks feed. J Heck, 2 bbls eggs, 2 kegs butter. Henry Levy, 15 bbls eggs, 7 bxs butter, 2 bbls cider. Bool, Andrews & Cook, 15 bdls shovels. Anna Kelley, 1 bbl e ware. Frazier, M & Co, 113 bdls paper. Chas McKnight, 40 sks flour, 5 bbls do, 17 bags feed. Markley & Alling, 3 bbls hinges. A Holstien, 160 g hides. S J Armstrong & Co, 25 bxs starch. Beymer, Bauman & Co, 200 pigs lead. Johnson & McFarland, 217 bags oats. Watt, Lang & Co, 21 empty f bbls. Lindsay & McCutcheon, 1 bbls scrap iron. H W Buffum, 2 bxs bottles, 1 empty keg. Jos Lautner, 9 bdls bows. S M Cummings, 2 bbls c coal. Smith & Co, 28 empty a bbls. Laty & Waltz, 15 empty beer kegs. F Beckert, 1 cask cheese. Phillip Petrol, 1 do do. Jacob Essenbirs, 8 rolls leather. M Steele & Son, 113 sks oats. John Baum, 2 bbls eggs. Sam'l J Thompson, 1 bx h h goods.

Per Western Pennsylvania R. R.

2 bbls eggs, W Cood. 1 do do, J R Kennedy. 1 do do, Sample & McC. Lot wheat, W Welsh & Co. 5 pkgs eggs, Paul & Gibson. 2 do do, Jos Mullery. 1 box tobacco, S P Shriver & Co. 12 sks potatoes, J H Spears. 140 wagon hubs, Lamb & K. 1 car salt, Fred Owens. 3 cars mdse, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company. 81 sks oats, Lang & McKalip. 5 bbls eggs, 3 bxs butter, W Sanders. 4 bxs butter, Houck, J & Co. 2 do do, Johnston & Calvin. 16 sks potatoes, A Dunn. 32 do, W Snyder. 7 bbls eggs, Kirkpatrick & Co. 6 bbls eggs, A J Patten. 5 bags potatoes, 4 bxs butter, 2 do d apples, Johnston and Bro.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

Seward & Emerson, 1 car bones. Colpman, R & Co, 18 cars coal. Dilworth, H & Co, 1 car woodenware. Armstrong, D & Co, Bryan & Mills, 50 bbls benzine. Kier & F, 43 cars coal.

Pittsburgh, Brownsville and Geneva Packet Company.

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OUR BRAVE DEFENDERS.

Meetings of the Cavalry Association and Society of the Army of the Potomac in Boston.

BOSTON, MASS., May 12.—The Cavalry Association held its annual meeting to-day. It has been a pleasant one. The President was in the chair. Gen. Sheridan was greeted enthusiastically on his entrance. After the reading of the records of the last meeting, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the organization now known as the Cavalry Corps, Army of the Potomac, be hereafter known as the Cavalry Corps of the Armies of the United States, and all honorably discharged soldiers of the army of the United States of cavalry organizations may be admitted as members under the constitution.

General Sheridan was then elected President of the association for the ensuing year by acclamation. Vice Presidents—Gens. David McM. Gregg, Horace Binney Sargeant, Jno. B. McIntosh, B. F. Grierson, Judson Kilpatrick and Jas. H. Wilson; Secretary, Major G. J. Whitehead; Treasurer, Major R. R. Carson.

The third annual reunion of the society of the Army of the Potomac took place at 11 A. M. to-day in the Globe Theater, which was decorated profusely. The scene was a brilliant one, when the heroes of Virginia battles, with invited guests, filed on to the stage to the music of Gilmore's band, and the cheers from the auditorium were deafening. Generals Meade, Hooker, Burnside, Sheridan, Logan, Heintzleman, Park, Humphreys, Pleasanton, Kilpatrick and a host of others were there, and Governor Claflin, President Eliot, of Harvard College, Judges of the Supreme Court and other officials were present as guests. General Meade presided, and initiated the exercises by a brief and touching speech, stating that the objects of the reunion were simply social and congratulatory, not political. He commended the widows and orphans made by the war to those who had survived and had prospered. He welcomed the assemblage cordially, and introduced Rev. Phillip Brooke in a complimentary manner as chaplain of the occasion, who addressed the Throne of Grace.

Major General L. M. Fairchild, Governor of Wisconsin, was introduced as orator, and delivered the address. He recited briefly the history of the war from the time of firing upon Sumter until the close, and concluded as follows:

"It is not in vain, comrades, that we recount the story of the war. It cannot be repeated too often, nor dwelt upon too long. We of this generation must treasure up its simplest incidents, and give them lasting record—not to glorify ourselves, but that our children may know by how much sacrifice and suffering at home, and, alas! at what expense of priceless blood in the field, their liberties have been preserved to them, to the end that the devotion to country which has inspired and exalted the men and women of to-day may become an exhaustless well spring of patriotism. Nor is it without benefit to ourselves that we meet together as a society at these reunions; not as proud victors to boast our battles won; not to exult ourselves; still less to exult over a brave but fallen foe. Our meetings serve a nobler end. Mingling with one another, clasping hands, comrades endeared by many common dangers looking into the familiar faces of our beloved chiefs, we find renewed within ourselves in these quiet days that fervent love of country which swelled our hearts when dangers were upon us. The waning fire is rekindled here. Before one another, in the presence of these living witnesses, and in the presence of our noble dead, we renew our vows of fidelity to our country. We have been baptized anew into her service, as zealous now in this time of peace to guard the honor of her flag as we were to uphold it during the gloom of war."

A poem, written for the occasion by Bret Harte, was read and elicited much applause.

The exercises were interspersed with patriotic music. A banquet takes place this evening.

After the formal proceedings closed, several distinguished officers made brief speeches. General Sheridan said during his absence he had seen nearly every army in Europe, and that there were none of them whose standard of excellence was higher than was that of the Army of the Potomac during the last year of our war. The society held a business meeting this afternoon, and elected General Hooker President. In accepting his new position General Hooker thanked the society for the honor conferred, saying that he should feel it his duty to act for the interest of every soldier who bore arms in the war. Above all, he expressed a desire that the society should be kept out of politics, whatever other associations might decide to do.

The Sixth Army Corps, at its annual meeting to-day, elected the following officers: President, Major General H. R. Wright; Vice Presidents, General John Newton, third division; General Thomas H. Mills, second division; Major General Shaler, first division; Corresponding Secretary, Colonel David J. Milne; Recording Secretary, General Joseph E. Jackson; Treasurer, Colonel Samuel J. Truesdale.

NEWS SUMMARY.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Work on the steamer Polar, fitting out for Captain Hall's Arctic expedition, is rapidly progressing at the Washington Navy Yards.

The physicians appointed by Governor Hoffman to examine Rulloff, the murderer, report that he is in sound physical health and entirely sane. On the subject of a hereafter Rulloff is not prepared to accept any form of religious faith. He said that sometimes he thinks there may be a God and an eternity, but the subject is beyond his comprehension, and he has no belief about the future. He admires nature and the symmetrical arrangement of natural objects, but is not convinced that man has a spirit that lives after the body is dead. In short he believes only what can be demonstrated beyond a doubt. On being asked why he had spent so much time in the study of philology, he said it was to prepare himself for any position he might be called to occupy, and the last thing he said to the Doctors as they were leaving him was, to request that they would intercede to have his life spared for the benefit he would be to science if permitted to live.

Three school children were drowned at Springfield, Mass., yesterday, by the upsetting of a boat.

In the Woman's Suffrage convention Thursday evening, Mrs. Woodhull said if the next Congress refused woman all the legitimate results of citizenship, we shall proceed to call another convention expressly to frame a new constitution and to erect a new government, complete in all its parts, and to take measures to maintain it as effectually as men do theirs. It shall be applicable not to men alone, but to all persons who shall transfer their allegiance to it, and shall be in every way a higher and more scientific development of governmental ideas. We mean treason! We mean secession and on a thousand times grander scale than was that of the South! We are plotting revolution! We will overthrow the bogus republic and plant a government of righteousness in its stead! Where *is* Dr. Blood.

The steamship Maine, from Bremen, arrived at New York yesterday.

Many attempts by negroes in Louisville, yesterday to ride in the street cars has created considerable excitement, and is the subject of much anxious discussion. Serious trouble is feared unless the matter is wisely and firmly managed. There were several cases of negroes being forcibly ejected from the cars. In one case a negro was thrown from the window of a car, and in another the newsboys attacked the offending African and were beating him when the police interfered. The boys mingled with the crowd and escaped. Crowds gathered on every occasion, and a riot was imminent more than once. When the car was given up to the negroes, they rode on exulting, amid the waving of handkerchiefs and applause of the spectators of their race.

In the Texas House of Representatives on Wednesday, a resolution for the removal of Speaker Evans was adopted by a vote of 41 to 29. Sinclair was elected Speaker in his stead.

Twelve stores were burned at Bryan, Texas, Thursday. Loss $190,000; insurance $50,000.

ADDITIONAL RIVER DISPATCHES.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 12.—River forty feet and rising, with sixty-two feet under the bridge. Arrived—Nick Longworth, New Orleans; Minneola, Memphis; Kate Robinson, St. Louis; Arlington, Pittsburgh. Departed—America, Nashville; Champion, St. Louis; Maj. Anderson, Wheeling.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 12.—The river has risen two feet two the past twenty-four hours, with twelve feet two in the chute, fourteen feet two in the canal, and eleven feet two on the rocks. Weather alternately clear, cold and mild. Business dull. Arrived—R. C. Gray, Cincinnati. Several tows made up at the foot of the Island will leave for below in a day or two. At least five million bushels coal will be towed South from here this rise.

Evansville.

EVANSVILLE, May 12.—Weather clear and hot; mercury 80. River risen two feet. Port list: Down—Anna, 9 P. M.; Allegheny Belle and barges, 4 A. M.; Palestine and Sam. J. Hale, 11 A. M.; Charmer, 11:30 A. M.; C. B. Church, noon; Rose Hite, 1 P. M.; Mary Ament, 2 P. M.; Geo. W. Thomas and West Wind, 5 P. M. Up—Arkansas Belle, 4 A. M.; Fayette, 10 A. M.; generally with good trips. Receipts heavy, but shipments moderate.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, May 12.—River rising fast, with eight feet on Harpeth Shoals. Weather clear and pleasant. Departed—Talisman, Cairo.

Cairo.

CAIRO, May 12.—Port list: Henry Ames, New Orleans to St. Louis, 9 P. M.; Mohawk, St. Louis to New Orleans, 11 P. M.; Hornet No. 2, New Orleans, to Louisville, 1 A. M.; Dexter, New Orleans to St. Louis, 3 A. M.; W. H. Brown, Louisville to St. Louis, noon; Nashville, Memphis to Cincinnati, 1 P.M.; John Lumsden, Nashville packet, 2 P. M.; Quickstep, Evansville packet, 5 P. M.; City of Vicksburg, St. Louis, to Vicksburg, 6 P. M.; Wm. Cowan, New Orleans to Louisville, 7 P. M.; Rover, St. Louis to Cairo, 7 P. M. River rose two inches; clear; mercury 74.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—Arrived—Red Wing, St. Paul; Antelope, Pittsburgh; Little Rock, Fort Smith; Sam. Clark, LaSalle; Rover, Pittsburgh; Illinois, Peoria; City of Cairo, Vicksburg; Rob Roy, Keokuk. Departed—Pauline Carroll, New Orleans; Rob Roy, Keokuk; Belle of Memphis, Memphis; Rover, Cairo; Illinois, Peoria; Alex. Mitchell, St. Paul; Mollie McPike, Davenport. River continued to rise until noon, when it came to a stand and is perhaps falling now. The upper Mississippi is stationary and about to decline. Weather clear and warm.

Omaha.

OMAHA, NEB., May 12.—The Missouri river is still rising at Fort Benton. The river is higher there than it has been for the past four years.

Dubuque.

DUBUQUE, May 12.—The river came to a stand last night and is now stationary, having reached three and a half feet below the high water mark of last year.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, May 12.—Clear and pleasant. River rising steadily, with the prospect of another flood. Departed—Cleburne, Arkansas; Colorado, St. Louis; Susie Silver, Olive Branch and Mary Miller, New Orleans.

Vicksburg.

VICKSBURG, May 12.—Down—James Howard, last night; R. E. Lee, P. W. Strader. Up—Glencoe and Alaska. Clear and pleasant. River stationary.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 12.—Arrived—Pitomac, Cincinnati. No departures.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were admitted to record since our last report in the office of Thomas H. Hunter, Recorder for Allegheny county:

Mary O. Phillips to Edward Cute, October 15, 1869; lot 20 by 120 feet on Jane street, East Birmingham..........$900
E. V. Cassidy to R. W. Eldowney, May 9, 1871; lot No. 133 in plan of lots laid out by Robert Robb, trustee, in Thirteenth ward, Pittsburgh..........$750
Henry C. Duggan to East-End Gas Company, May 5, 1871; lots Nos. 71 and 72 in Mellor's plan of Collins Park, with buildings..........$950
Wm. M. Grace to B. S. Fahnestock et al., May 10, 1871; lot of ground in Chartiers township..$10,000
Wilkins Linhart to Geo. Ritchie, August 20, 1866; lots Nos. 21, 22 and 23 in W. Linhart's plan of the borough of Mt. Washington..........$1,200
Elizabeth F. Denny to James Hamilton, April 11, 1871; 40 by 100 feet on Beech street, Second ward, Allegheny city..........$2,800
Robert E. Herron to Andrew Hartung, 16 feet 10 inches by 60 feet on Beaver street, Allegheny, with buildings..........$800
John S. Scully to Ernest Fendum, May 10, 1871; lots Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 6 in J. S. Scully's plan of lots, Chartiers township..........$10,000
Wm. Schelling to Joanna Kaufield, March 14, 1870; 20 by 80 feet on Tenth street, borough of Birmingham..........$2,000 00
Thos. Mellon to Thos. Herron, April 14, 1851; 2 acres 4¾ perches of land in South Fayette township..........$600 00
C. B. Seeley to Jane Lewis, May 10, 1871; lots Nos. 93, 96 and 97 in plan of C. B. Seeley, Nineteenth Ward, Pittsburgh, with buildings..........$1,000 00

Buffalo Cattle Market.

BUFFALO, May 12.—Receipts of cattle 523 cars against 526 the same day last week, 128 cars received during the past twenty-four hours went east in first hands; no sales to-day. Sheep—prices closed weak with the following sales: 800 head shorn ranging from 80 to 92 pounds $5 50@6 00. Hogs—holders having given way a fair trade was done this morning at a slight decline; sales were made of 1,327 head, as follows: 726, ranging from 194 to 222 pounds, at $5 00; 494, averaging 192, at $5 12½, and 114, averaging 201 pounds, at $5 50.

New Orleans Grocery Market.

NEW ORLEANS, May 12.—Sugar active and firmer; common 8@8½c; prime 11@11½c. Molasses quiet; fermenting 27@32c; plantation reboiled 30@40c. Coffee inactive and nominally 14@15½c.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

Statement—Real Estate Savings Bank.
New Books—R. S. Davis & Co.
Clothing—Samuel Gray.
Dissolution—Claney & Co.
First Methodist Church—Rev. I. W. McKeever.
Still Wanted—Lock Box 123, P. O.
Loan Association Stock for Sale.
Governess Wanted—Watson, Commercial office.
Pittsburgh Opera House—Lucretia Borgia.
Ice—Wm. Krebs.
Knowles' Steam Pump—Ballou, Farrell & Co.
New Music Books—Lyon & Healey, Chicago.
Blank Books—W. S. Haven & Co.
Drug Store for Sale—J. B. Mitchell.
Money Wanted—Box 5, Commercial office.
Japanese Silks—White, Orr & Co.
Situation Wanted—J., this office.
Orphans' Court Sale.
Dissolution—J. F. Sadler & Co.
Milliner Wanted—No. 214 Fifth avenue.
Warehouse for Rent—Bissell & Co.
Piano Wanted—Ben Zine, this office.
Summer Boarding—Mansard, this office.
Tea and Flour House—T. C. Jenkins & Bro.
Meeting—Union Lubric Oil Co.
New Books—S. A. Clarke & Co.
New Books—R. S. Davis & Co.
Stationers—Myers, Schoyer & Co.
Window Caps—A. O. Kittridge & Co.
Piano Sales—H. Kleber & Bro.
Chickering Pianos—Hale's.
Pianos—29 Fifth avenue.
Flour—Jenkins & Bro.
Lafayette Hall—Apron Festival, May 18.
Cream Ale—Pier, Dannals & Co.
Belting and Hose for Sale—Hartley, McKee & Co.
Great Silk Sale—Paul Hugus Hacke.
Gentlemen—Simon Johnston.
Plumbing and Gas Fitting—J. Bourne.
Carriages—C. West & Co.
Carncross & Dixey's Minstrels.
City Hall—St. Bridget's Church Fair.
Trimble's Varieties Theater.
Teas—F. Y. T. I. Co.
For Mayor—Joseph Leibler.
Weed Sewing Machines—John Biggert & Son.
Drug and Merchandise Brokers—J. J. Bender & Co.
Steam Pumps for Sale—Atwood & McCaffrey.
Homes for All—W. N. Howard.
Imported Wines—Wm. Miller & Co.
Rheumatic Remedy—Hodgson's Embrocation.
Furniture—J. W. Woodwell & Sons.
Brick Houses for Sale—Dithridge & Son.
For Rheumatism—Hodgson's Embrocation.
Coal Tar and Roofing Materials—W. B. Lupton & Co.
Statuettes—R. E. Breed & Co.
Boots and Gaiters—19 Fifth avenue.
Window Shades—164 Smithfield street.
Window Shades—Edward Foerster.
China Palace—R. E. Breed & Co.
New Books—S. A. Clarke & Co.
Gold Pens—S. A. Clarke & Co.
For Rheumatism—Hodgson's Embrocation.
Wall Paper—Edward Foerster.
Weed Sewing Machines—116 Market street.
Stationery—119 Wood street.
Boots and Shoes—F. A. Konold & Co.
For Rheumatism—Hodgson's Embrocation.
Weed Sewing Machines—116 Market street.
Piano Covers—51 Fifth avenue.
Fusi Yama Tea Importing Company.
Teas—140 Smithfield street.
St. James Hotel—James K. Lanahan.
Orphans' Court Sale—A. McIlwaine.
Watches—J. McWilliams, J.
Fusi Yama Tea—140 Smithfield street.
Teas—140 Smithfield street.
Pianos and Organs—S. Hamilton & Co.
Teas—140 Smithfield street.
Teas—140 Smithfield street.
Millinery Goods—Rosenbaum, Fleishman & Co.
Teas and Coffees—114 Smithfield street.
Law Books—James B. Dodge.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

MEETING OF CREDITORS.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., May 12.—Another meeting of the creditors of the Alabama and Chattanooga railroad was held last night. The committee reported that the best that could be done was to take one dollar in stock and one dollar in bonds for each dollar of indebtedness, and so retire all the floating debt in this country, and thus enable Superintendent Stanton to pay off the parties pressing the road into bankruptcy. A large amount of stock and bonds was subscribed in this way to-day. A petition was also circulated and signed by representatives of half a million of the floating debt, requesting the dismissal of the suit in bankruptcy. The heavy rains of the past week will delay the completion of the road until the middle of next June.

THE NEW JERSEY LEASE—MEETING OF THE COMPANIES.

[From the Philadelphia Ledger, 11th.]

The stockholders of the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Delaware and Raritan Canal Companies held their annual meetings at Trenton yesterday. A larger number of stockholders were present than ever before on any similar occasion in the history of the Companies. The ostensible business of the meetings was the election of directors to serve the ensuing year—seven in the Camden and Amboy and nine in the Deleware and Raritan Canal. The present directors in both Companies were re-elected by very large majorities—the majority vote ranging from 18,000 to 25,000, and the minority vote from 7,000 downward. The only question at issue in this election was that of leasing or not leasing the works of the United Companies. Of the seven old, and now re-elected directors of the Camden and Amboy road, five are avowedly against leasing and two are in favor. Of the nine Delaware and Raritan Canal directors, two are against leasing and seven in favor, thus making the relative strength of parties in the joint Boards seven against leasing and nine in favor. The following are the names of the Camden and Amboy directors: Wm. H. Gatzmer, Benjamin Fish, Cambridge Livingston, Ashbel Welch, Samuel Welsh, Charles Macalester and Wm. G. Cook. The following are the names of the directors of the Delaware and Raritan Canal Company: Robert F. Stockton, John M. Reed, Moses Taylor, John G. Stevens, Richard S. Conover, Wm. W. Shippen, Albert W. Markley, John Jacob Astor, and G. Morris Dorrance. The directors of the New Jersey Railroad are largely in favor of the lease. There were three or four tickets composed of opponents of the lease voted for, but the candidates elected were voted for by pretty much all the friends of leasing. Almost the entire afternoon was devoted to the election. So far as the action of the day is an evidence of the sentiments of stockholders on the question of leasing the united works, it is strongly in the affirmative; though as yet little is definitely known of the details of the proposed lease to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and nothing at all of those embodied in the new proposition made by the Reading Railroad Company, which latter in general terms proposes to take the Delaware and Raritan Canal on a perpetual lease, paying $750,500 per annum, and increasing the amount $10,000 per year until it shall reach $1,000,000 per annum, which sum is to be paid annually thereafter; and in case these terms are not agreed to, to take all the property of the United Companies, representing $35,245,000, actual cost, to pay ten per cent. dividends yearly, and a bonus of $1,000,000. There was much said as to whether this conditional offer was better than the proposed lease to the Pennsylvania Company, and quite a number, including among them some of the directors and most of the large shareholders, held that whether paying more or less, the matter of lease was not open to further negotiation by the committees of the two contracting parties, inasmuch as the contract at their last meeting was agreed upon except on two or three points suggested by the committee of the united companies, and these were the next day accepted by the Pennsylvania railroad. This, it is held, concluded the bargain between the parties so far as the committees of the two Boards of Directors have connection with it, and to break from it now to treat with a new party, would be trifling if not dishonorable. After the result of the election was announced, Mr. Ashbel Welch, the President of the United Companies, replied to a call for information as to the proposed lease, that it was still in the hands of the committee, not fully completed, and that it would be referred to the stockholders as soon as terms were agreed upon. Mr. Hulme offered two resolutions, the first of which was to the effect that, in case it was determined to lease the works of the United Companies, that the fact should be fully advertised, thus widening the competition for their possession. This was referred to the incoming Board. The second resolution requiring that when the lease shall be agreed upon that its contents shall be fully published, and at least twenty days' notice be given of the time and place of meeting for its approval by the stockholders. This was adopted. A third resolution, declaring the organization of the companies large, cumbrous and expensive, and suggesting a reduction of the number of officers, was also referred to the incoming Board.

NARROW-GAUGE PROJECTS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

A bill has passed the State Legislature incorporating the Philadelphia, Newtown and Paoli Narrow-Gauge Railroad. The capital stock is $200,000. The company are authorized to build a road of thirty-inch gauge from Philadelphia to connect with the Pennsylvania Central Railroad near Steamboat station, in Chester county, passing through Upper Darby, Hareford, Maple, Newtown and Paoli.

An earnest movement for the building of a narrow gauge railway from Media to Chester, in Delaware county, following the line of Ridley creek, has just been developed.

Another narrow-gauge railroad will soon be constructed in our State. It begins at Bell's Mills Station, on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, in Blair county, and crosses the Allegheny Mountains through Bell's Gap to a point on Clearfield creek, in Cambria county. This road is designed to afford an outlet for the coal, lumber and iron resources of an important mountain district. It was surveyed and located under the direction of G. W. Domer as engineer, and will be graded during the summer. The length of this branch road will be about twelve miles, and will serve as an additional feeder to the Central, and at the same time develop a country rich in minerals and timber, which has hitherto been almost inaccessible. The gradients in some will be over one hundred feet to the mile. It is designed to begin work on this road in the course of a week or two, the final arrangements having been nearly completed to carry the enterprise right along.

The act incorporating the Lancaster and Reading Narrow-Gauge Railway Company, recently passed by the Legislature, makes the capital stock $500,000; confers the right to build the road "from the city of Lancaster to the city of Reading, with the privilege to construct branch railroads from the city of Lancaster to, or near any points or places on the Susquehanna river within the county of Lancaster, and cross any railroad now constructed, or hereafter constructed at grade." The gauge is not to exceed four feet, and the construction of the main road is to be begun within three years.

Kate Manning, who had taken a homestead at North Platte, Nebraska, was murdered night before last. The murderer is supposed to be her brother.

CITY MATTERS.

Boy Drowned.

Yesterday afternoon a small boy named William Spaniel, residing in West Pittsburgh, was drowned while playing on a raft. His parents reside in the borough on the line of the river, and about three o'clock his mother missed him, when she inquired of the neighbors, but none of them had seen him. She then heard he had been playing on the raft, and fearing that he might be drowned she rushed to the river, when her worst fears were realized. The boy had fallen into the river, and floated under a number of barges down the river some distance, when some workmen caught him and pulled him to the shore. Every effort was made to save his life, but in vain, for he died in a few minutes. The Coroner held an inquest over the remains last evening, when a verdict of accidental drowning was rendered.

STRAW GOODS, straw goods, at R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

South Side Teachers' Institute.

The monthly meeting of this Institute was held in the East Birmingham School House, last evening, A. T. Douthett, County Superintendent, presiding. After prayer by Rev. G. G. Westfall, and song by Prof. Jones, and class, Miss Hollis, of the East Birmingham School, read a very interesting essay on the "Theory and Practice of Teaching." After recess, Dr. E. A. Wood read an able paper on "Popular Errors of the Healing Art."

The question "What Relation do the Common Schools sustain to the Commonwealths," was discussed by Rev. P. S. Davies, Profs. A. T. Douthett and A. Burtt, and Dr. E. A. Wood.

After a song by the class, the Institute adjourned until this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

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Public Amusements.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—This afternoon's matinee performance will consist of "Ten Nights in a Barroom," with little Nellie Irving, Miss Rickords, Mr. Gotthold, and others in the cast. In the evening "Lucretia Borgia" and "Dick Turpin and Tom King" form the bill. Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bandman commence an engagement.

VARIETIES.—The matinee and evening entertainments at this house will be well worth seeing, fine programmes having been prepared for each.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Carncross & Dixey's Minstrels have appeared during the week to houses increasing in size nightly, the audiences being made up largely of our best people, who enjoy entertainments of this character when assured of their merit. We are pleased to be able to state that this troupe will remain another week, and that they will on Monday evening produce a local burlesque entitled "Uproar in the License Court."

Mr. Fred Du Bois, agent for Carncross & Dixey, left this morning for Cincinnati. We commend him to the press of that city as a courteous gentleman, who thoroughly understands his business, and fully appreciates the virtues of printers' ink.

HATS, CAPS AND STRAW GOODS—At R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

Musical Taste.

As time passes on so the people in it advance in wealth, intelligence and refinement. The taste for music is rapidly increasing; no home is now complete without a piano or an organ. As the taste increases for music so does the demand for pianos and organs. This fact has brought about a good deal of rivalry among piano and organ manufacturers. It is a fact well known to our readers that every year adds new names to the already large list of Piano Manufacturers. It is also true that each maker claims his right to the honor of *first premium*. This humbuggery has been carried to such an extent in the United States that the American people have become aroused to this system of pill advertising and wholesale quackery. It is really astonishing the credulity of the people. The avidity with which they will swallow their *superiority pill*. All that is required to make a first class piano is capital. Cash money will build large manufactories, secure the services of the most skilled workmen, will fill the lumber yards and dry houses with the choicest timbers in the market, and last (thanks to the superiority pill) money will secure the superiority pill recommendation from Signor Taylafanti. And herein lies the most of the merit. Is not this an insult to the intelligence of the American people. Are Americans so void of taste and common sense that they are constrained from the *force of habit* to secure the services of an outsider to aid them in the selection of an article that is as common in the American home as any other article of household furniture.

There are about *thirty first-class piano* manufacturers in the United States at the present time, of this number some have become known by the judicious use of printer's ink, and others by the more substantial mode of making a first-class piano, and allowing the popularity of the piano to depend altogether on the actual merits of the instrument, which can be ascertained only by a long term of years. Among the last class we name the justly celebrated Durham & Sons. This piano stands to-day without a rival as far as tone and durability is concerned. The manufacturers claim no flimsy gew-gaws nor royal decorations; but the head of the firm does claim the honor of having invented the most important improvements in the piano, such as the overstringing agraffe, &c. So peculiarly satisfactory have they proved to Mr. Dunham that he freely gave them to the world. The Dunham & Sons pianos have been sold in Pittsburgh for a period of *thirty-five years*. Several of them can be found in this vicinity which have been in use for a period of twenty years, and still in good condition. Mr. John M. Hale, late of Hoffman & Hale, has secured the agency for the Dunham & Sons pianos, and intends keeping a very large stock constantly on hands at his warerooms, No. 29 Fifth avenue, over Sands & Reineman's. Mr. Hale has started out on an entirely new principle to what has been the custom here for a long time. Mr. Hale proposes giving the *customer* the benefit of his judicious purchases, and will allow *no commissions* to teachers. Mr. Hale, awake to the evils of the hour, and the wants of the people, offers great bargains to persons wanting pianos or organs. Mr. Hale, as well as selling cheap, is now prepared to sell pianos or organs on monthly payments. Any person wishing to purchase for cash, can get great bargains at his rooms. Call and examine Mr. Hale's fine stock. Mr. Hale offers a good substantial piano with all the improvements and a warrantee for seven years by the manufacturer, for $290. Sent anywhere on ten days' trial, to be returned if not as represented. Call on Mr. Hale before purchasing elsewhere. He is alive to the wants of the people, and persons wanting a piano or an organ will do well to *go by themselves*, select your instrument and *save the commission that is usually paid to teachers*. A teacher is never known to recommend *outside of the store* where they are in the habit of dealing.

HATS, CAPS AND STRAW GOODS—At R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

In this issue will be found the statement of the Real Estate Savings Bank. It indicates that the institution, although young, is in a prosperous condition, has a solid footing, and is under excellent management.

REV. DR. AND MRS. BOARDMAN, of New York; Dr. and Mrs. Ward, of New Jersey, and others, will conduct the religious services at the Home, on Duquesne way, between Eighth and Ninth streets, on Sabbath, at nine o'clock A. M. and half-past seven P. M. All are invited.

SILK HATS, silk hats, at R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

ALLEGHENY.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

A Tannery on Irwin Avenue Partially Destroyed—Loss $16,000—Insurance $10,000.

Shortly after three o'clock yesterday morning, flames were discovered issuing from a building on Irwin avenue, near Jackson street, occupied as a tannery by Messrs. J. Taggart & Sons. The building was two stories in height, and of brick in front with a frame addition in the rear.

The fire was first discovered in the frame building, and spread so rapidly, that when the Fire Department arrived the building was in a sheet of flames, and efforts were made to save, if possible, the brick building, which were partially successful. The engine house was saved, and also the bark shed, in which was stored upwards of ten thousand dollars' worth of bark. A large amount of finished leather was destroyed, but the hides in the vats, as well as the stock and materials in the lower story of the front building were not damaged.

The entire loss will reach $16,000. The loss on the building is $8,000, stock $7,500 and machinery $500. The insurance is $10,000, distributed as follows: Cash, $1,500 on stock; Putman, of Hartford, $1,500 on stock; Lycoming, $2,000 on building and $100 on machinery; City, $1,500 on stock, and Pennsylvania, $1,500. Fire Marshal Butler investigated the fire and found that it originated from a defective flue in the frame building. He would suggest that parties who wish to secure their buildings from being destroyed by fire, should have cement pipe built in their chimneys, which would insure the building against fire from this source. As three-fourths of the fires originate from this cause, the matter is worthy of attention.

HATS, CAPS AND STRAW GOODS—At R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

Accidents.

Last evening about six o'clock, as a passenger train on the West Penn Railroad was nearing the city, Eugene McGary, a boy about sixteen years of age attempted to jump on the train, but missed his footing and fell to the ground, narrowly escaping being run over. In falling, however, his thigh struck against the corner of a tie, inflicting a deep gash. The unfortunate boy was conveyed to his home at 276 Federal street, where he was attended by Dr. Buchanan. His injuries are of a very severe character, but the physician apprehends no danger, if he has not sustained any internal injuries. The boy was engaged in learning the carpenter trade, and at the time of the accident was returning home.

Yesterday G. Jahn, an employee in Miller's stone quarry, Butchers Run, had his leg broken by a stone falling upon it. Dr. Weinman reduced the fracture.

MEN'S AND BOYS' straw goods, at R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

HAZARD & CASWELL'S Cod Liver Oil is the best. Tths

MEN'S AND BOYS'S STRAW GOODS—At R. H. Palmer's, 84 Wood street.

MARRIED:

CASWALL—FRAZER—On Easter Tuesday, the 11th instant, at St. James' Church, Belfast, by the Rev. Geo. A. Chadwick, M. A., incumbent, assisted by the Rev. John Spence, Curate of St. Ann's, the Rev. ROBERT CLARK CASWALL, M. A., Rector of Emporium, Pennsylvania, United States, only son of the late Rev. Prebendary Caswall, D. D., Vicar of Figheldean, Wilts, to MADELINE JANE, only daughter of the late Rev. Kenneth Frazer, B. A., incumbent of Astley Bridge, Bolton-le-Moors, Lancashire, and Chaplain in the Diocese of Chester to the late Archbishop Sumner.

Rev. Mr. Caswall has been called to the Rectorship of Emmanuel Church, Lower Allegheny, and will, as it is believed, accept the invitation. Meanwhile, the Rev. Dr. Page will continue to preach there every Sunday morning until the arrival of the new Rector, when the Doctor proposes to suspend his pulpit labors for six months or a year, in the hope that his health may thereby be completely re-established.

Oldest Ins. Co. in America.
ASSETS, $3,050,535 64.
Ins. Co. of North America
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Losses adjusted and paid by
WILLIAM L. JONES, 84 Fourth ave.

RELIGIOUS.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH will be CLOSED TO-MORROW because of the Pastor's illness.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, Fifth avenue, above Smithfield street. Rev. W. McKEEVER, Pastor. Services TO-MORROW at 10:30 A. M.; sermon by W. COLLIER, D. D., of First Methodist Church, Allegheny.

Three o'clock, Funeral Sermon upon the death of Rev. WM. REEVES, D. D., by GEORGE BROWN, D. D., of Springfield, Ohio. 7:30, preaching by the Pastor. The Seats are Free and Strangers are cordially invited to attend.

Sabbath School at 2 o'clock P. M. s

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. E. Y. GARRETTE, Pastor. Preaching MORNING and EVENING, at 10½ and quarter before 8 o'clock, at EXCELSIOR HALL, corner Federal and Lacock streets, Allegheny. Free seats and a cordial welcome to all.

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.
Lessee and Manager..........JOHN A. ELLSLER.

SATURDAY MATINEE,
TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.
Mary Morgan, the Drunkard's Child...Little Nellie Irving.
SATURDAY EVENING, May 13, 1871, the powerful Historical Play of
LUCRETIA BORGIA.
To conclude with the stirling Drama of
DICK TURPIN AND TOM KING,
The Terrors of the Road.
MONDAY, First Appearance, in a number of years, of the celebrated Artists, Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL BANDMAN.

TRIMBLE'S VARIETIES.
FRED. AIMS..........Manager.
THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, 2:30, the Glorious Saturday Matinee. TO-NIGHT, Double Saturday Night Show. Last Night of the sensation,
IRELAND'S FREEDOM!
Last Night of the Great Minstrels, the Female Minstrel Troupe. Last Night of the present Great Show.
Monday Night, more New Stars.

APRON FESTIVAL.
The LADIES' HOMŒOPATHIC CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION will hold a Festival at
LAFAYETTE HALL,
On the Afternoon and Evening of THURSDAY, May 18, 1871, for the Benefit of the Charity Patients in the Homœopathic Hospital, at which
500 APRONS,
Of all Styles and Varieties, will be offered for disposal. Refreshments will consist of Ice Cream, Strawberries, etc.
ADMISSION..........10 CENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
FOR A SHORT SEASON, COMMENCING MONDAY EVENING, MAY 8,
CARNCROSS & DIXEY'S MINSTRELS.
Great Star Troupe of the World,
In their Grand Ethiopian Soirees. Unequalled throughout the World. Representing to the public an entirely New Programme, as performed by this Company only.
Admission—Parquette and Dress Circle 50c; Reserved Seats in Parquette and Dress Circle 75c; Family Circle 35c; Gallery 25c.
Box Office open for sale of Reserved Seats, from 10 till 4. Doors open at 7½; commence at 8 o'clock.

A GRAND FAIR
FOR THE
Rebuilding of St. Bridget's Church.
OPEN TO-NIGHT,
AT CITY HALL,
AND WILL CONTINUE EVERY NIGHT FOR TWO WEEKS.
COMPANY "B," Captain McCLOSKEY, Irish Batallion, will drill at CITY HALL, in Full Uniform, this evening.
Music by St. Bridget's Cornet Band. tf.

LATEST BULLETIN FROM THE G. O. R. F. TEA, COFFEE AND SPICE WAREHOUSE, NO. 114 SMITHFIELD STREET.

8 lbs A coffee sugar for $1 00.
10 lbs Fair New Orleans sugar for $1 00.
8 lbs Light Demerara sugar for $1 00.
7½ lbs Crushed sugar for $1 00.

COFFEES.

4 lbs Fancy roasted Rio for $1 00.
4½ lbs Choice roasted Rio for $1 00.
5 lbs Prime roasted Rio for $1 00.
3 lbs Old Government Java, roasted, for $1 00.
Mocha, Maracaibo, Laguayra, &c., always on hand.

TEAS.

Fine mixed tea, 60c.
Finest mixed tea, 80c.
Choice mixed tea, $1 00.
Fine Oolong, 60c.
Best Oolong, $1 00.
Fancy Oolong, $1 20.
Fine Japan, 80c; fancy ditto, $1 20.
Fine Y. Hyson, 80c; fancy do, $1 00.
Fine E. Breakfast, 80c; fancy do, $1 20.

GROCERIES.

Choice and of every variety, sold lower than elsewhere and delivered free to all parts of the city and vicinity. Families will do well to examine our stock before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods and answer questions. Come and see us. 114 Smithfield street. Smith & Co.

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Whot. The possessor of the popular Weed Family Favorite Sewing Machine. Why? On account of the many and difficult styles of work it accomplishes with so little trouble, and giving the best satisfaction. Call and see the machines at Beggert & Son's parlors, 116 Market street.

GREAT REDUCTION

In Teas. The Fusi Yama Tea Importing Company have reduced their prices. Call at 140 Smithfield street.

GO TO FOERSTER'S

For your window shades, store shades, wall papers, bordering, &c., &c. You can find anything you want in the line at his store, 164 Smithfield street.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Joseph Liebler, the popular and well known trunk manufacturer, has at the solicitations of his many friends consented to offer himself as an independent candidate for the Mayoralty. Mr. Liebler has been strictly honorable in his dealings with the public, is a live and energetic man, enterprising and liberal in his views, and will probably give the best of satisfaction should he succeed in securing the position.

A NEW SEVEN OCTAVE CHICKERING PIANO,

With all the improvements, for $325, at Hale's Piano Warerooms, 29 Fifth avenue, over Sands & Reineman's.

ADVANCING.

With a degree of pride we are pleased to note the success of Mr. J. McWilliams, Jr., watchmaker, at 35 Smithfield street. A year ago he opened a repairing shop for watches and mathematical instruments, and to-day he is doing a handsome and profitable jewelry business in connection with the repairing, which is an accomplished specialty with him. He buys direct from Eastern manufacturers, and also deals largely in the manufacturing of solid gold ornaments to order. A visit from patrons of the jewelry trade is solicited, and any orders left with him will meet with due and prompt attention. The store is located in the Central Hotel block, No. 35 Smithfield street.

LOOK OVER

S. A. Clarke & Company's list of new books on first page.

FAMILY FAVORITE,

At Biggert & Son's, 116 Market street.

12½ ACRES IN M'CLURE TOWNSHIP—ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.

That valuable farm of 12 acres, 74¼ perches, belonging to the estate of James McAllister, deceased, in McClure township, on the road leading from the Brighton road to the Perrysville road, between Sheriff Fleming's and Uniondale Cemetery, will be sold on the premises, by order of Orphan's Court, next Wednesday afternoon. See McIlwaine's auction advertisement for further particulars.

BLACK SILKS AND MILLINERY GOODS.

Messrs. Rosenbaum, Fleishman & Co., Nos. 72, 74 and 76 Market street, have just received a large line of imported black silks, that have been purchased during the decline in prices occasioned by the European war. Hence, as this is not in their regular line of business, and having purchased them at a very nominal figure, they are willing to give the trade the benefit of their purchases. The inducement to the ladies will become apparent upon examining the silks and noticing the quality and material. The millinery department is being repleted almost daily, and a greater variety and varied styles we have never seen in stock than the present one of Rosenbaum, Fleishman & Co. The retail department, No. 72, down stairs, is under the management of Mr. Moore, a gentleman of culture, and one who studies the interests of the wants of the ladies. The sales ladies are attentive and polite, and will consider themselves favored by permitting them to show the beautiful lines of goods which their shelves and cases contain. A pleasant call can be anticipated at this emporium by "shoppers," at 76 Market street.

FASHIONABLE SHOE WEAR

Can be had at the handsome shoe store of Messrs. Konold & Co., No. 19 Fifth avenue.

THE GOLD PENS,

Pocket books and finest stationery offered by S. A. Clarke & Co., 119 Wood street, cannot be excelled.

MILTON GOLD JEWELRY

Cannot be told from pure Guinea gold except by weight. Sold at No. 27½ Sixth street.

TO ONE POUND OF YOUNG HYSON TEA

There is added one tablespoonful of turmeric, one of gypsum, and from two to three of Prussian blue. See Ure's Dictionary of Arts and Sciences. Buy the pure Japan teas from the Fusi Yama Tea Importing Company, No. 140 Smithfield street.

WINDOW SHADES

Large and small, plain and ornamental, at Foerster's, 164 Smithfield street.

ORDERS RECEIVED.

Messrs. Konold & Co. receive orders for the manufacturing of all fine made shoe wear, and with their competent and master workers the "custom" trade will receive the very best of fine and substantial work. No. 19 Fifth avenue.

SHAFFER'S BAZARR.

To have an old vehicle about which is in constant need of repair, is now a question which Messrs. McKelvy & Co. are ready to solve. The convincing proofs which this house can illustrate to any sensible person, and they will show to them that they are paying out more money to keep up an old and out of style wagon, phaeton or buggy in repair in a short time, than it would require to buy a new one from their manufactory. The cash purchases of McKelvy & Co. have given them the monopoly of the market, and hence they intend to give the trade the benefit of the same in furnishing a first-class, stylish and durable wagon at the very lowest of prices.

MILTON GOLD JEWELRY

Of the most tasty patterns, elegant styles and elaborate designs, at No. 27½ Sixth street.

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A magnificent display of wall paper is to be seen at Foerster's, 164 Smithfield street.

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Wear Milton gold jewelry, sold at No. 27½ Sixth street.

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Advertise new books on first page of this paper. They furnish anything in books and stationary line at lowest rates.

A NEW OCTAVE STANLEY & SON'S PIANO,

With all the improvements, for $290—sent anywhere on ten days trial—at Hale's Piano Warerooms, 29 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh. These pianos are the same as are usually sold for $500 at some houses. Call and see them.

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Exchange salutations at No. 27½ Sixth street.

ASK YOUR GROCER

For the Fusi Yama Tea Importing Company's brand uncolored Japan teas. For sale everywhere.

NO. 27½ SIXTH STREET, LATE ST. CLAIR,

Is the center of fashion.

THE JAPANESE

Are exceedingly polite, one never speaking to an equal or superior without uncovering his head, and servants in handing a cup of Fusi Yama Tea place the cup in a wooden cup-holder, go down on their knees and in a bland voice remark, "Anata, Ocha-a-agare." The Fusi Yama Tea Importing Company have reduced their prices. Call at 140 Smithfield street.

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Tea Importing Company's brand of uncolored Japan teas, sold by all respectable grocers.

$25, $50, $75.

A Jagger wagon can be had at prices varying from $25 to $75, less than they can be had at any other establishment in town. McKelvy & Co. have got them, and will do just what they say they will. Go into their Bazaar and test the veracity of their statement.

The Dollar Steam Engine—The Most Ingenious Toy of the Age.

We announce to the public that this is not only the original Dollar Engine, but it is also the only perfect reciprocating one, with brass boiler, silver plated fly wheel, cylinder, piston, steam chest, safety valve, taking steam at both ends of the cylinder. Each engine furnished with a neat brass lamp, wick, funnel and everything complete in a box.

New novelties for the Dollar Steam Engine.—Can be run separately or a dozen at a time. Consisting of mechanical figures, of various designs, giving perfect representations of different scenes, making most attractive additions to the Dollar Engine.

No. 1. Grinder, each	$ 25
No. 2. Washerwoman, each	25
No. 3. Horseman, each	35
No. 4. Washerwoman and Grinder, each	35
No. 5. Wood Sawyer, each	35
No. 6. Wood Sawyer, extra, each	50
No. 7. Dog and Monkey (musicians), each	65
No. 8. Two Cats (musicians), each	95
No. 9. Peace Jubilee, (complete with standard and pulleys), each	1 00
No. 10. Horseman and Banjo Player, complete, &c., each	65
No. 11. Grinder and Wood Sawyer, complete, &c., each	65

Steam whistle, for the dollar steam engine, can be attached in a moment to any of our engines. Has a slide valve and can be opened and shut at pleasure. Price each, 25 cents. For sale at John W. Pittock's book store, opposite the Postoffice, Pittsburgh, Pa. The trade supplied at manufacturers' prices.

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The Popular China Palace.

Messrs. Breed & Co., 100 Wood street, have the only China palace in the city. To convey an idea of a China palace to the reader would require too much space and time; but to get the idea, call and interview the house.

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Of galvanized iron are much more durable than of wood—cost no more, require less painting, can be made of any design or size, are much cheaper than cast iron, and admit of better connection with the walls of buildings. Call at 12 Market street. A. O. Kittridge & Co.

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The largest and best selected stock of pianos and organs in the city are to be found at S. Hamilton & Co.'s new piano and organ rooms, and at prices that will surprise you. Instruments sold on terms to suit purchasers. Every instrument fully warranted at S. Hamilton & Co.'s, 51 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.

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Rupture, abdominal weaknesses, relief and cure. Seeley's hard rubber truss supporter and pile pipe. Cleanly, cool, light, safe and comfortable. Never rusts, break nor soil. Used in bathing. Best in use. Sold by all druggists. ws

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Has received the endorsement of eminent physicians, and its great efficacy is certified to by druggists generally. Trus

For Sale.

Fifty shares Merchants' and Manufacturers' National Bank. Inquire of George B. Hill, corner of Wood street and Third avenue.

Carriages.

C. West & Co., 75, 77 and 79 Liberty street, have on hand and will sell at reduced prices the largest and finest assortment of carriages and buggies of the latest styles ever offered in Pittsburgh. Also a large assortment of second-hand carriages and buggies of every style at very low prices. FS.

St. Bridget's Fair, City Hall.

The following articles will be voted for this (Saturday) evening at City Hall Fair:

Table No. 1, In charge of Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Ferris and Miss Norton—Sewing machine, bureau and gold pen.

Table No. 2, In charge of Mrs. W. J. Burns—Sword, sash and belt; silver tea set; pin and chain and tete-a-tete.

Table No. 3, In charge of Misses Hassen and Keenan—The gold ring.

Table No. 4, In charge of Mrs. and Miss Hopper—The cottage set.

Table No. 5, In charge of Misses Maloney, Sweeney and Gatens—Guitar, cushion chairs, and gold ring.

Refreshment table—Silver butter dish.

Company "B," Captain McClosky, appeared last evening at the fair at City Hall, in full uniform and gave an exhibition of their proficiency in military tactics. Rev. Father Treacy, in honor of the Company, allowed them to have a dance, which was hugely enjoyed.

The voting last evening was spirited. Our friend, Andrew Hayden, carried off the gold watch by over two thousand majority.

The fair will positively close to-night.

Colonel Lanahan's European Hotel—The St. James.

The growing prosperity of this house is remarkable, and should any greater popularity befall the Colonel, he will find himself compelled to enlarge his accommodations. The traveling public are now demanding it, and he will soon find it necessary to comply. The European plan of the St. James has been steadily winning a name abroad that can be envied by the largest hotels in our midst. The merchant and business man, coming into town, will find the convenience, arrangement and attachments of this house super-excellent, the rooms large and airy, and combined with every convenience, gives one upon entering a home-like feeling. The restaurant on the first floor has all of the substantials, as well as the delicacies, of the season. The foreign markets contribute largely to the latter. The bar and billiard rooms are conducted by gentlemen, and the best of stock of pure liquors, wines and ales are always kept on hand. The billiard tables are comparatively new, and one can pass an evening socially without the frequent and many annoyances which sometimes attend such rooms. The location of the St. James is directly opposite the Union depot, a matter of consideration to the traveling community, which they will be only too happy to avail themselves of. Drop in upon the Colonel at any time and you will always find him the same general and courteous host.

S. Hamilton & Co.

Guarantee to sell a better piano or organ for less money than anywhere else in the city. To be convinced of this you have only to call or write to them for prices or terms. S. Hamilton & Co., 51 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh.

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A splendid assortment at reasonable prices, and of the most elaborate designs, at the China palace, 100 Wood street.

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No greater imposition is ever practiced than that of cheap trusses for those afflicted with rupture. Cheap trusses are like everything else that is cheap; that is, will hardly ever answer the purpose intended. We say to our readers, without equivocation, that the best place in this city to get full and entire satisfaction is at Dr. KEYSER'S, 167 Liberty street. The Doctor will fit you, and, if there is a possibility of cure, will cure you. He has had over thirty years of experience in the business. Most of the others have only entered upon it, and if a man wants safety in anything it is in one of so serious a matter as that of Hernia, or Rupture, in which delay can do nothing but harm, and we feel ourselves in duty bound to recommend our readers to the very best place; therefore, without making any invidious distinction, we recommend, as a place of safety and security, that of Dr. KEYSER, at 167 Liberty street. Cut this out, as it will not be published again. Trusses as cheap as anywhere in the city.

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Iron Founders, Manufacturers Light Grey Iron
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Loose Joint Butts, Shutter and Gate Hinges, Latches, Sash Pulleys, and other articles of Builders' Hardware always on hand. Office and Works near Outer Depot, Allegheny City. P. O. address, Lock Box 302, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Just Received, having been Bought for Cash since the Late Reduction in Prices, and will be sold at the LOWEST NEW YORK AND BOSTON RATES, by the Case or Dozen.
Agent for Philadelphia Manufactured Boots and Shoes, at Philadelphia Prices, thus Saving Freight and Expense.
NEW GOODS ARRIVE DAILY.
All Orders from the Country Filled Promptly at Eastern Prices, and satisfaction guaranteed. Country and Shoe Merchants give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, and examine my Prices, at
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The most liberal inducements offered to the Country Trade. MWS

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Beg to inform their friends, patients and the public generally, that owing to their increase of practice, they are compelled, reluctantly, to discontinue their Branch Office in this city, and in future are to be consulted only at their Head Office, 1,625 FILBERT STREET, PHILADELPHIA.
Their important Medical Work will be forwarded on receipt of 25 cents. All Letters will receive immediate attention. Address
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That Valuable Double Lot, 42 feet 8 inches front on south side of Penn avenue, and 100 feet in depth to Fairview alley, which is 20 feet wide. There are erected on rear of the Double Lot,

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It is bounded by the lands of Wm. Dilworth, Nicholas Carr, and Robert McKeever, all under excellent cultivation, with a fine Orchard of over 100 choice Peach Trees, in bearing, together with Apple, Plum and Cherry Trees, over 1,000 Strawberry Plants, nearly One-half Acre planted in Asparagus, and a large collection of Small Fruits, under high cultivation; also, a carefully attended Grapery, containing a great variety of the very choicest kinds. The improvements are a TWO-STORY DWELLING of 8 Rooms, with Hall through center, a good Stable, and all necessary Outbuildings; also, a never failing Well of excellent water and 2 Cisterns.

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